

Obituaries

MRS. C.O. ARNOLD

Mrs. Clyde Otis Arnold, 61, longtime resident of this area, died Saturday in a Texarkana hospital.

Surviving are her husband, Clyde Arnold; two sons, Williams of Fresno, Calif.; Clyde Arnold Jr. of Waco, Texas; two daughters, Mrs. Imogene Cox of Waco and Mrs. Sylvia Hubbard of Wake Village, Ark.

Services were held today by the Rev. Gerald Trussell. Arrangements were in charge of Oakcrest Funeral Home.

D.G. CALVERT

Donald Eugene Calvert, 40, of Garland, Texas, died Monday while visiting in Hope. He was an inspector for Brantiff International Airlines.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Novelle Calvert; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D.H. Calvert of Okolona, a brother, Charles of the U.S. Navy; three sisters, Mrs. Fern Deel and Mrs. Dorothy Redding of Big Springs, Texas and Sandra Calvert of Okolona.

The body will be returned to Garland for burial.

MRS. EULA ROBINSON

Mrs. Eula B. Robinson, 81, of Atlanta, Texas, died Sunday in a Dallas hospital.

She is survived by two brothers, Victor and James Rhodes of Alexandria, La.; three daughters, R.G. Waincott and Mrs. Martin Mayrith both of Dallas, Mrs. Houston Gunter of Hope; a son, Charles Long of Texarkana.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday in Dallas. Burial will be at Pinecrest Cemetery in Atlanta by Suggs Funeral Home of Dallas.

CAROLYN JOYCE WATSON

Carolyn Joyce Watson, 21, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Watson of Midwest City, Okla., died Sunday at her home. She was the former Lois Hairston of Patmos.

Survivors include two brothers James of Dallas, Arthur Ray of the U.S. Air Force, her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. (Lester) Hairston of Patmos, Mr. and Mrs. John Watson of Dallas, her parents.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Friday in Herndon Funeral Chapel by the Rev. W.R. Burks. Burial will be in Memory Gardens by Herndon Funeral Home.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Jess Willard, 86, heavyweight champion in boxing's White Hope era, died Sunday of a cerebral hemorrhage. Willard, who began his fighting career at the age of 30, won the heavyweight title from Negro Jack Johnson in a controversial bout in 1915. He lost the title four years later to Jack Dempsey.

TOTNES, England (AP) — Dorothy Whitney Straight Elmhirst, 81, a founder of The New Republic magazine and various educational projects, died Saturday at Dartington Hall in Devon, which, with her husband, she turned from a roofless ruin into one of Britain's leading educational boarding schools. Mrs. Elmhirst was the daughter of William C. Whitney, American financier, and the widow of Willard Straight, with whom she founded the New Republic.

CHARLESTON, S.C. (AP) — Paul Hyde Bonner, novelist, outdoors columnist and former diplomat to Italy, died Saturday after a brief illness. He was 75. He authored the "Ambassador," "Excelsior," and "Aged in Woods," among others.

EAST ORANGE, N.J. (AP) — Madeline A. Williams, the first Negro woman of the New Jersey Legislature, died Saturday after a lingering illness. She was 70. Mrs. Williams was active in church, civil rights and political activities for many years before her election to the state assembly in 1957 and 1959.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Retired Army Gen. Guy S. Meley Jr., 65, former commanding general of the 4th U.S. Army, died Saturday. He ended his 36-year Army career in 1963 when he retired as commander-in-chief of the U.N. Command and commanding general of the U.S. Forces in Korea.

Court Favors Students of Divinity

WASHINGTON (AP) — Draft boards may not use "delinquency" regulations to take away the exemptions of divinity students and groups of other young men shielded from the draft by Congress, the Supreme Court ruled 6 to 3 today.

At the same time, however, the court held that draft resisters who do not have a congressional exemption must—in order to test their 1-A classifications—chance prosecution for draft evasion.

The first ruling, protecting exempted young men from forced induction if draft boards disapprove of their behavior, was given in the case of James J. Oestereich, a ministerial student at Andover-Newton Theological School, Newton Center, Mass.

Oestereich, of Cheyenne, Wyo., was one of 357 people who returned their draft cards to the Justice Department in a protest Oct. 16, 1967, against U.S. war action in Vietnam.

Three weeks later he was declared a delinquent, stripped of his IV-D theological exemption and put into 1-A.

The court, in a decision delivered by Justice William O. Douglas, declared that Congress had made divinity students draft exempt and that Oestereich was entitled to a chance to contest his reclassification in court.

That is, the court said, he did not have to refuse the draft, chancing a jail term, to get a ruling.

Besides, Douglas said, exempt young men cannot be declared delinquent and pushed up to the 1-A slot for activity that has nothing to do with the functioning of the Selective Service system.

Draft boards, he said, cannot make themselves "free wheeling agencies meeting out their brand of justice in a vindictive manner."

In the Oestereich situation, Douglas said, "We deal with conduct of a local board that is basically lawless."

Nixon Plans Meet With Leaders

By FRANK CORMIER
Associated Press Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — President-elect Nixon's first after-victory meeting with Republican congressional leaders today apparently will focus more on problems of his outnumbered party in the Senate and House than on national policy.

Nixon is flying to Washington to meet with 12 top-ranking GOP members of Congress, then driving to Walter Reed Army Medical Center for his third postelection reunion with former President Dwight D. Eisenhower before returning to New York.

Aides said Nixon could hardly talk seriously about the policies and programs his administration will push since task forces studying major problem areas—and recommending programs for the future—have yet to report to him.

The President-elect will begin receiving these reports this week.

While in the capital, Nixon also will announce he is retaining 73-year-old J. Edgar Hoover as director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. By federal law, Hoover would have been forced to retire in 1964 at age 70 except for an exemption granted him by President Johnson. Nixon will continue to honor the exemption.

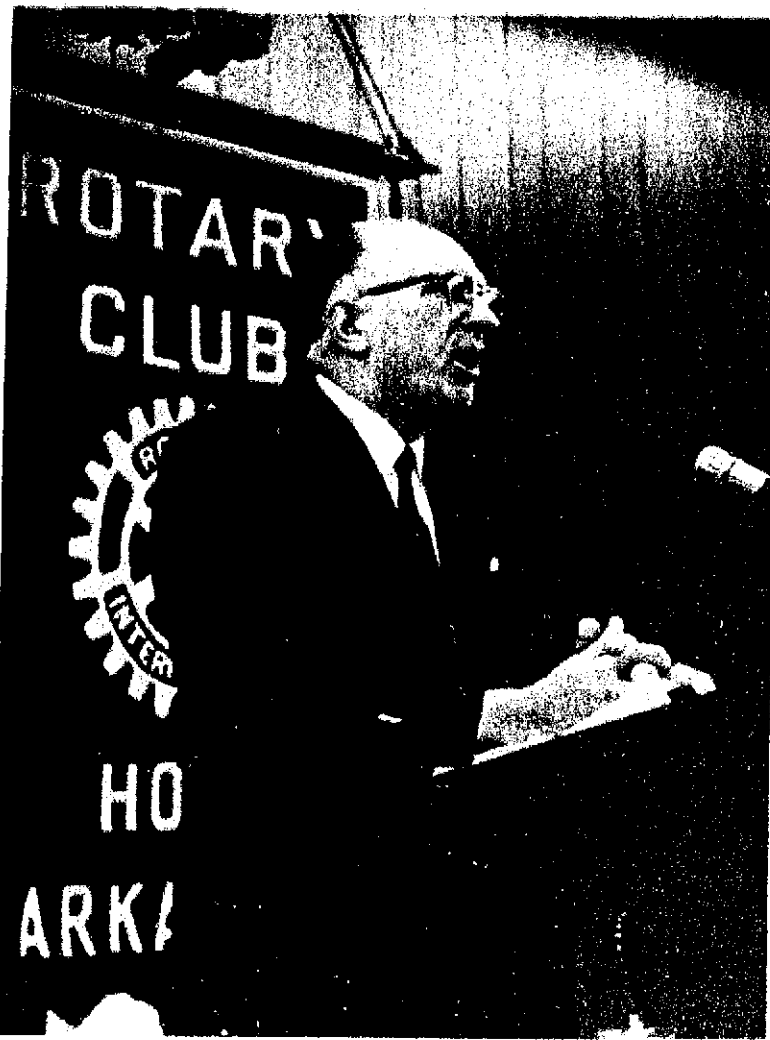
It was not certain, however, that Hoover would remain at the helm of the FBI throughout the new president's term. Some sources said he was considering retirement in the next few years.

The Nixon meeting with Republican leaders of Congress was a bit unusual in that one outsider was included among the conferees—Ray Bliss, chairman of the GOP National Committee.

Once in office, presidents normally do not invite their party chairman to such sessions. But at this preinaugural meeting it was apparent that Nixon and those meeting with him would have to give particular attention to partisan strategy in the coming congressional session, where Democrats will outnumber Republicans in both houses.

On Sunday, Nixon and daughter Julie attended morning services at the Marble Collegiate Church and heard a prayer by the minister, the Rev. Dr. Norman Vincent Peale, for Johnson and the President-elect. Julie will be married in Dr.

Rotary Club Meets



— B. N. Holt photo with Star camera

GERALD TRUSSELL

"We need Christmas that God may live with us and that we may live with God," the Rev. Gerald Trussell, pastor of the First Baptist Church, told the Hope Rotary Club at its weekly luncheon last Friday at the Town and Country. "Economy, fun, and good will are other reasons mankind often gives for needing Christmas, but they are minor compared with the first."

The speaker recalled the story, "The Luck of Roaring Camp" by Bret Harte to illustrate in more modern terms the difference and good influence a little babe can make. He said that we should give the most expensive gift we can—ourselves—to make the holiday truly significant.

Rufus Herndon arranged the program and introduced the speaker. President Harold Eakley had charge of the business meeting.

Hoover Will Stay on Job for Nixon

By FRANK CORMIER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — President-elect Nixon, here to confer with Republican congressional chiefs, announced today that J. Edgar Hoover has agreed to continue as FBI director and Richard Helms will remain on the job as director of the Central Intelligence Agency.

Shortly after Nixon's arrival here from New York for a visit of several hours, press spokesman Ronald L. Ziegler told newsmen Nixon had talked secretly and face to face with both Hoover and Helms in New York and had asked them to retain their posts. He said they had agreed to do so.

The two men apparently will stay on their jobs indefinitely.

It described Rodriguez Perez as a nephew of Fulgencio Perez, "who completed missions of infiltration under orders of the Central Intelligence Agency and was captured in October 1965."

It said Diaz Rodriguez, Rodriguez Perez and Perez Sargent left Cuba illegally in 1961, 1964 and 1967 respectively.

Two of the group, according to the announcement of Rodriguez and Perez Sargent—belonged to anti-Castro exile organizations, Alpha 66 and the Second Front of Escambray.

Granma said the two exile organizations had a record of attacks against Fidel Castro's government and that they recently formed a coalition. It reported a coalition leader, Eloy Gutierrez Menoyo, had been captured with others in Oriente Province, at the eastern end of Cuba, but gave no date.

Diaz Rodriguez was quoted as saying he attended a meeting with representatives of the Dominican Republic's government, including an air force colonel identified as Juan Folch Parons to set up a base in the area of Manzanillo, on the north coast of the Dominican Republic about 180 miles east of Cuba.

He also was reported to have made trips to Puerto Rico with Ramon Quesada, one of the men captured with Menoyo.

Peale's church next Sunday to David Eisenhower, grandson of the former president.

In the afternoon, Nixon walked up Fifth Avenue from his apartment through streets covered with ice and snow to Temple Emanuel-El for memorial services for Arthur Hays Sulzberger, retired publisher of The New York Times.

The President-elect returned to his apartment with Mrs. Nelson A. Rockefeller, wife of the New York governor, at his side. Rockefeller walked behind, chatting with Lt. Gov. Robert Finch of California, Nixon's choice to be secretary of health, education and welfare. The Nixons and the Rockefellers have apartments in the same building.

Electoral College to Vote Today

WASHINGTON (AP) — In the only presidential election that officially counts, the Electoral College votes today to make Richard M. Nixon the nation's 37th president.

Although Nixon defeated Democrat Hubert H. Humphrey by nearly half a million votes in the November general election, under the Constitution the president isn't officially selected until the members of the Electoral College meet in their respective state capitals and cast their votes.

The ballots are then mailed to Washington where Congress will meet in joint session Jan. 6 to count the vote and declare a winner.

The 538 electors from the 50 states and the District of Columbia are free agents under the Constitution to vote for anyone they please, but the custom is to follow the lead of the popular vote in their own state.

With only a few exceptions this is the case this year.

Dr. Lloyd W. Bailey of Rocky Mount, N.C., said his vote would go to third-party candidate George C. Wallace, rather than for Nixon, who carried the state.

Former Michigan Democratic State Chairman Zolton Ferency said he would not cast a vote in his state, which went for Humphrey. Ferency indicated someone would fill his place and cast a vote for the vice president.

In the District of Columbia and 17 states local laws require the electors to follow the popular will, although in just three—Florida, New Mexico and Oklahoma—are there penalties

for voting independently.

Assuming Nixon gets all the electoral votes of the 32 states he won, his total is 302 electoral votes. He needed 270 to win. Humphrey won 13 states plus the District of Columbia, which totals 191 electoral votes, while Wallace's victory in five states gives him 45.

There have been only two recent incidents before this year when electors went their own way—in 1948 when a Tennessee elector voted for Dixiecrat candidate Strom Thurmond rather than Harry S. Truman, and 1960 when an Oklahoma elector cast his electoral ballot for the late Sen. Harry F. Byrd of Virginia, instead of Nixon.

The closeness of the November voting, which threatened to throw the election into the House of Representatives for the first time in 144 years, has set off demands for electoral reform.

Under the Constitution now, if no candidate gets the required majority in the Electoral College, then the House picks the president on the basis of one vote for each state's delegation.

This last happened in 1824 when the Electoral College could not select a president from among John Quincy Adams, Andrew Jackson, William Crawford and Henry Clay. The House chose Adams although Jackson led in both the popular and electoral vote.

Proposed reforms include a direct national popular election and a plan which would involve splitting each state's electoral vote according to the proportion of votes cast for the presidential candidates.

Congress is expected to hold hearings on the various proposals in the session starting in January.

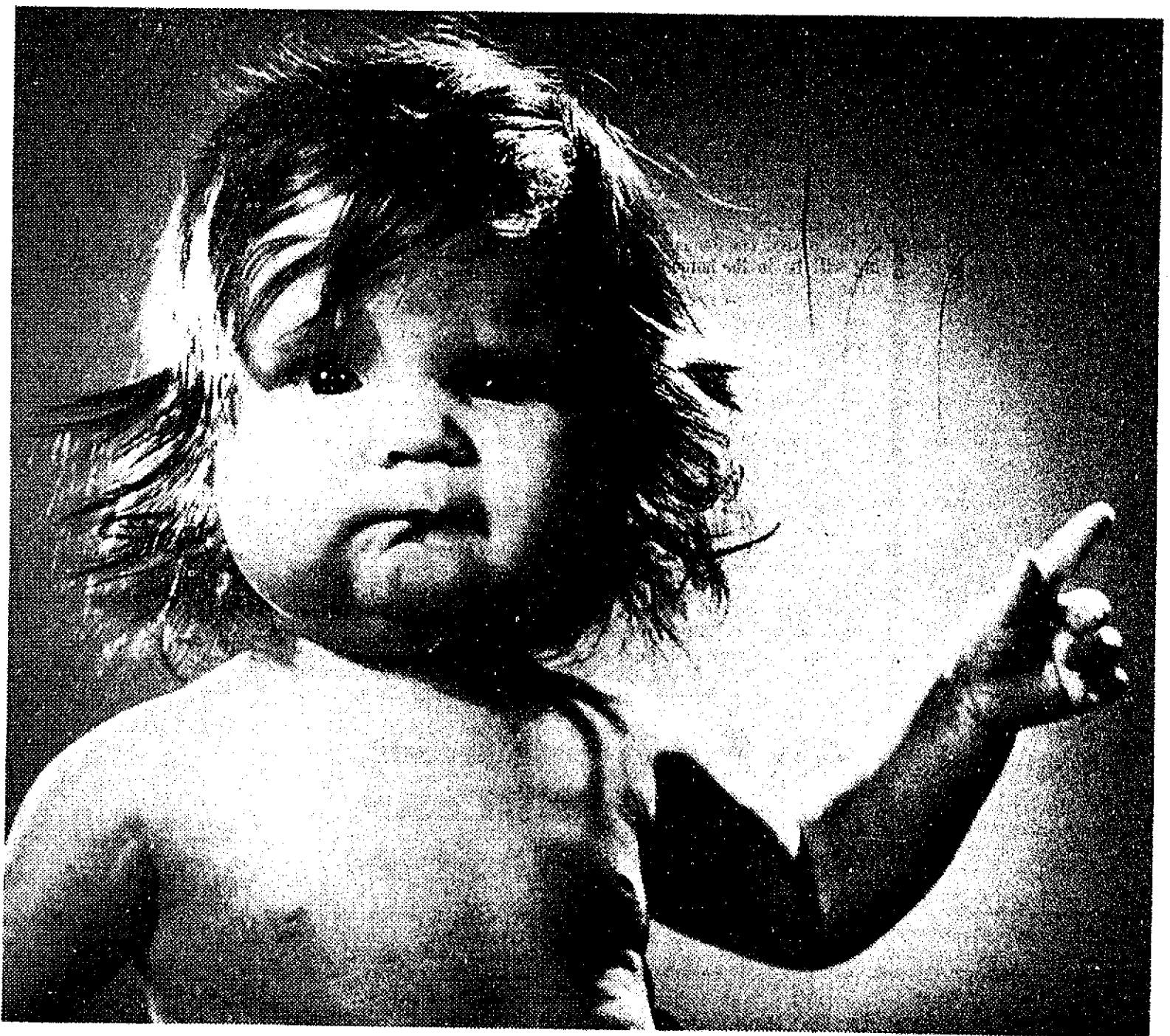
SHAPING UP and shipping out, too, is Miami Boat Show Queen Karen Reznicki (37-24-36). Karen was named queen of the Florida exposition at which some 300 exhibitors will display \$20 million worth of marine products. The show is scheduled for Feb. 21-26 at Miami Beach.

Dropout Honored by His College

BOSTON (AP) — Speaker of the House John W. McCormack, 76, who was forced to drop out of high school at age 13 because of the death of his father, is now a member of a college fraternity.

Phi Alpha Tau, a fraternity with chapters at Emerson College and Suffolk University, made McCormack an honorary brother Sunday in a service at Emmanuel Church.

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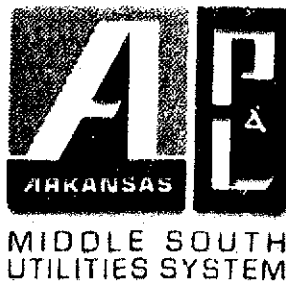
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Calendar of Events

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18

MONDAY, DECEMBER 16
Chancel Choir Practice will be held in the First Presbyterian Church on Monday, December 16 at 7 p.m.

The First Presbyterian Church's Youth Choir Practice will be at 3:45 on Wednesday December 18.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19

Chapter 328, Order of the Eastern Star will have a regular meeting Thursday, December 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Hall. After the meeting a Christmas party will be held with an exchange of gifts.

The Senior Citizens will have their meeting and Christmas party Thursday, Dec. 19 at the new Community Center on Texas Street. This will be a covered dish luncheon and an exchange of gifts. All members are asked to be there by 10:30 a.m.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22
The First Presbyterian Church is holding a Joy Gift Program on Sunday, December 22 at 5:00 p.m.

"Let Every Heart Prepare Him Room" is a program centered around the meaning of the Christmas offering and is sponsored by the Women of the Church.

BAKER CLUB MEETS

Mrs. Merlin Cox was hostess for the Baker Extension Club Monday, December 9 at 7 p.m. The Cox home was decorated in a yule-tide motif. A covered buffet dinner was served to eleven members and one guest, Mrs. Orville Hoelscher. Misses Sherri and Anna Cox pured tea and coffee.

Mrs. T.B. Fenwick, Sr. gave the invocation. After dinner, Mrs. Ardel Clark gave the devotional with each member participating by reading a verse pertaining to Christmas.

Mrs. Lawrence Easterling gave a report on the council meeting and distributed receipts for making Christmas goodies.

Mrs. George Walden won the surprise package. Games were played, with prizes going to Mrs. Clark Easterling.

Christmas Carols were sung by the group with Mrs. Hoelscher at the piano. The January meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Ardel Clark.

MICHAEL VINES CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Michael Vines celebrated his 2nd birthday Tuesday, December 10 at 2 p.m. with a party in the home of his great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T.B. Fenwick Sr., 1019 West Avenue B.

Those present were Glenda Scroggins, Cathy Cox, Abbid, Russell and Bobby Nolan, Jina Kidd and Terri Rice from Nashville.

Michael received many gifts which all the children enjoyed.

De ANN LILAC CLUB MEETS
Mrs. Jewel Burke and Mrs. C. R. Samuel were hostesses for the De Ann Lilac Garden Club meeting Wednesday, December 11 in the Burke home.

The meeting was held at an evening hour, instead of the usual afternoon time, and members wore formal dresses which they had made. In the judging of them, Mrs. Wayward Burke won first place prize.

A guest, Mrs. Roy Taylor,

told the story, "My Son" by Armand L. Currie. One of the hostesses, Mrs. Samuel, read the Christmas story in Luke 2, and Mrs. C.B. O'Steen led in prayer.

Pretty Christmas decorations were seen at many points in the den, where the group gathered. Gifts were exchanged, and the hostesses served a tasty variety of snacks with spiced tea and coffee to 12 members and 1 guest, Mrs. Taylor.

IRIS GARDEN CLUB MEETS

The Hope Iris Club had its Christmas luncheon at the Heritage House on Thursday, December 12 with greenery, berries and candles decorating the table. Covers were laid for 12, including one new member, Mrs. Jack Gathright.

"The Pullers of the Stars" by Mary Lou Lacy was the story which Mrs. Harold Stephens told for the program. Club President, Mrs. Lahroy Spates, dispensed with any business. Members made and wore Christmas corsages, and Mrs. J. M. Walker's corsage of acorns and glitter took first place.

Later that afternoon, the Bulb Club at Beryl Henry School, sponsored by Iris Club, held a meeting at the school, and Mrs. Stephens repeated the Christmas story she had told at the luncheon. The Junior garden club was also directed in making Christmas "trees" for birds.

DAR MEETS

The John Cain Chapter of the DAR met at the Heritage House Wednesday, December 11 for a Christmas luncheon with 13 members present and 4 guests, Mrs. J. W. Branch, Mrs. N. T. Jewell, Mrs. Roy Taylor, and Mrs. B. C. Hyatt.

For the Yuletide Program, Mrs. Taylor reviewed "My Son" by Armand L. Currie and told of Handel's inspiration for writing "The Messiah." Another guest performer, Mrs. Don Johnson, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Hyatt, sang 3 excerpts from the Handel oratorio, "Comfort Ye," "He Shall Feed His Flock Like a Shepherd," and "How Beautiful Are the Feet of Them Who Preach the Gospel of Peace."

Holly and votive candles decorated the table where the meal was served. Mrs. Roy Stephenson, one of the hostesses, had a Christmas corsage at each place setting.

The Regent, Mrs. Paul W. Klipsch, had charge of the brief business meeting that included a report from Mrs. Arthur Wimmell about the excellent books on genealogy at the Nashville Library, provided by the Mine Creek Chapter, DAR.

Hostesses: Mrs. John Keck, Mrs. Gordon Tyer, Mrs. Gaylord Solomon, and Mrs. Stephenson.

Coming, Going

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Formby have returned home after she had spent a week in Pine Bluff with Mr. and Mrs. Holland Brown routine physical check-up at the MoPac Hospital in Little Rock during that same week.

Mrs. Victor Perdue, Shreveport, visited Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Dolph Carrigan.

'Extras' in Coats

Coats are being shown in both the new longer length and the shorter, above-the-knee style. It's not how long you wear it, but the style that counts, however. Coats are form-fitting, and trims, such as fur, intricately worked buttons, and pockets are the all-important "extras."

CBS's Christmas gift to the



THE THREE KINGS form the theme for this Christmas decoration over a Rome street. Workmen climb an extension ladder to place the figures in the Italian capital.



LIGHTS IN THE SKY illuminate London's Regent Street. The Christmas decorations herald England's holiday season in splendid fashion.

Television and Radio

By CYNTHIA LOWRY

AP Television-Radio Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — It was a winter weekend when a television set was almost as cozy as an open fire and there were not regular programs. Sunday evening in particular was a pleasant time to sample around the networks a bit.

The educational networks, "PBL," was trying something different again. This time it was pulling together several short subjects under a general heading of "Can This Be America?"

It was uneven, but most impressive was a cinema verite treatment of Negro organizations in New Jersey, centering around LeRoi Jones and called "New Ark." It showed the people of Newark teaching young children a "black alphabet" in which the letter P stands for pride, and repeating that black is beautiful. It also showed seminars for Negro women, designed to give them a sense of dignity, place and participation.

Least impressive was an interview with millionaire H. L. Hunt by actor Walter Brennan, both conservatives, that explored some familiar ground.

NBC's "Bonanza" had a remarkable story about the Cartwright's Chinese cook. His amazing knowledge of fingerprints as a means of identification—at a time when Alphonse Bertillon was a young man—got Little Joe out of a murder charge. It was one of the weaker tales of the Ponderosa.

The Smothers Brothers on CBS continue their merry comments. Their new feature, "Minority Report," if played down the middle for comedy alone, and avoided expressing the political viewpoints of the stars, might be a worthy successor to Allen's Alley.

Happiest hour of the weekend was "Down to the Sea in Ships," on Friday night through most of the country but on Sunday in the New York area. The "Project 20" hour on NBC was a love poem to ships and seas, and contained smashing photography of angry oceans, giant, curling waves, serene sunsets and quiet waters.

There was no big message except a sort of gentle regret that the sleek beautiful sailing ship is today an anachronism. The hour consisted of film, prose and musical score in fine harmony.



HELEN HELP US!

by Helen Bottel

SOME KIND OF NUT

Dear Helen: I applied for a position which entails travelling and meeting the public. I evidently passed the 2-page psychology-type questionnaire included with my application form, as I was called in for an interview, at the personnel office.

Dressed in good taste for a woman of 34, and armed with excellent references, I thought there would be no problem. Not so! First the man looked me up and down as if I were a slave at auction, and asked "Do you ever wear a wig?" I said, "Occasionally."

Then he said, "And I suppose you wear a padded bra too." I implied that was my business, not his, and he said, "Anyone who would pad her bra might also pad her expense account. Honesty begins at home."

Before he demanded an inspection, I got out of there.

Is this some sort of new approach to hiring? — MISS C.T.

Dear Miss T: This is some sort of "Honesty is the best policy" nut! Report him to the company manager. — H.

Dear Helen: Our son has been in and out of Juvenile Hall for the past two years, for running away, being beyond parental control, the drug bit, etc.

He was made a ward of the court and placed in a group home, but that didn't work. He ran away. We hired a lawyer to get him back home and for a while all went well, even his school work.

Then he was picked up for burglary. He is an habitual liar, and I think is mentally off balance. He seems to have a split personality.

My husband, who thinks his way is the only right way to do anything, insists our son should take his medicine at a boys' correctional institution, but I think we should have him committed to a State Hospital, where the conflict between him and his father could be examined and treated.

Is there any hope for a boy like this? — MRS. C.

Dear Mrs. C: The best hope for your son is consulting psychologist—and probably separation from a family which may go overboard on punishment (father), and protection (mother.) Sometimes a child's "split personality" is the result of split discipline and the three-way restraints it creates.

I don't know your case well enough to advise further, but I do know that the Juvenile Court Judge in your city is an outstanding man. His decision will

"The Jonathan Winter's Show" and "Hawaii Five-O" will be a swap of time spots.

The public-eye action show will move into Winters late Wednesday time spot on Dec. 25 where it will compete for audiences with NBC's private eye, "The Outsider." Winters and company will move to the early evening Thursday position on Dec. 26 to face tough comedy competition from ABC, the end of "Daniel Boone" and the beginning of "Ironside" from NBC. Neither show has been doing exceptionally well in their old positions.

Recommended tonight: "The Sunshine Patriot," NBC, 9-11 EST, Dina Merrill and Cliff Robertson in a made-for-TV spy film.

First Humane Society
The earliest humane society to bear the name was founded in Amsterdam, the Netherlands. "For the relief of persons apparently drowned," according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

Leading Figure in Society Succumbs

TOTNES, England (AP) — Dorothy Whitney Straight Elmhirst, 81, a founder of The New Republic magazine and various educational projects, died Saturday at Dartington Hall in Devon.

The daughter of William C. Whitney, American financier and President Grover Cleveland's secretary of the Navy, Mrs. Elmhirst spent her life campaigning for social and educational "adventure through unity, not uniformity."

The death of her father in 1904 left the beautiful, young Miss Whitney wealthy and she became a leading figure in New York society. But she also led marches for women's suffrage, campaigned for community homes for working girls, was elected president of the New York Junior League and later the first president of the National Junior Leagues, supported countless charities and organized the feeding of 3.5 million starving European children after World War I.

In 1911 she married Willard Straight, a banker.

Influenced by Herbert Croly's "The Promise of American Life," the Straights founded The New Republic. Straight enlisted in World War I and died in France in 1918, but his widow retained family ownership until 1954. Their son Michael was for many years editor of the magazine.

She married agriculturist Leonard K. Elmhirst in 1925 and moved to Britain, where the couple purchased Dartington Hall, a roofless ruin populated by chickens and pigs. They turned it into one of Britain's leading coeducational boarding schools and model farms, founded a center for arts and crafts education in the west of England and built a glass factory.



FOR ART'S SAKE, Patty Duke hits the water during filming of an attempted suicide for an upcoming movie. Patty, who does not swim, insisted on doing the scene herself rather than use a stunt girl. For her protection, a cushioned net was submerged in the water.

In addition to her husband, Mrs. Elmhirst, is survived by three sons, Whitney Straight, deputy chairman of Rolls-Royce Ltd., William K. Elmhirst and Michael W. Straight, president of the William C. Whitney Foundation; and two daughters, actress Beatrice Straight and Mrs. Morris Ash.

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Hope Star Sports

Hope Teams Get Chance for Revenge

By RALPH ROUNTON

Star Sports Writer

Basketball for Hope High School teams finally tapers off this week after a game-filled December, with only two nights of games on tap and both away from home.

On tomorrow night the Bobkittens, Lady Cats, and Bobcats travel to Prescott for a set, with the first game beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Earlier the senior girls and boys both lost to Prescott at home, and so the locals have rights to revenge. The Curley Wolves clipped the Bobcats 66-47 back on December 3, but the Cats have come a long way since then. Hope's Lady Cats were outscored 11-0 in the final four minutes and lost a 44-37 decision to the Prescott girls.

Then on Friday night both the junior and senior girls teams will accompany the "B" squad to Springfield for the finale before the Christmas break.

For the Bobcats last week was a productive one, with two victories upping the season mark to 3-4. The first victory was Gurdon, and the Go-Devils fell before the Hope running offense by a 56-38 count.

Friday evening sent the Cats to Ashdown, and a resurgent 29-point final quarter brought Hope the convincing 66-53 win. And the Ashdown game introduced balanced scoring to the offensive attack, with four Bobcats hitting in the double figures.

Although the Lady Cats went 1-2 for the week and lowered their record to 2-5, the girls stayed with a strong Joe T. Robinson team last Friday night. This could give a bit more confidence to the squad, and especially to the forwards with a good performance against a tough set of guards.

After falling to Gurdon 52-43, Coach Charlotte Gibson's forces entered the Ouachita Tournament in Arkadelphia. On the first night the Lady Cats were below par against Hughes, but the Hope girls rode an outstanding defensive performance to a 35-29 win in one overtime.

That brought Joe T. in as the opposition in the quarterfinals, and the Little Rock school this year sports a fine team. Their biggest asset, though, was a bevy of guards which alternated with the others' foul trouble.

Three Joe T. guards wound up with four fouls, and two more committed three. The Hope forwards couldn't quite make up the difference, and Joe T. took a 73-48 win. But it was very satisfying that the Hope girls stayed in the game all the way with few lapses.

Now the Lady Cats face a tough challenge in the Prescott rematch, as the Wolverettes always are emotionally ready for a Hope game. Both teams and the boys contest should be quite interesting, also since they could set up a good winning attitude for the holiday break.

Coach Jim Jordan's Bobkittens are in up-and-coming bunch with a 2-2 record sheet, and the juniors continue to improve game by game. Their latest conquest was a 26-24 win at Ashdown, but it took a half-court basket at the buzzer to cut the margin to two points.

Jordan has changed some of the precedents around coaching, including his grading system. Believing that publicity on all the high scorers influences boys players, Jordan decided not to release the actual scoring totals of his players until the season's end.

So he devised a grading system which awards points for offense, while deducting points for general mistakes and bad shots. Their final total is what goes to print, and the opponents' scoring totals are released.

The Bobkittens are the best team Hope Junior High has put out in several years, and the program is presently being strengthened by the addition of a competitive 7th grade team. In January the boys turn to 4-A round-robin play, and the girls join the "B" squad against schools around the area including Springfield, Emmet, Bodcaw, and Mineral Springs.

Longest Measure

Longest linear measure is an astronomical unit used in measuring stellar distances. Known as the parsec, it is equal to a distance of 19.2 trillion miles.

Porks Start Work for Sugar Bowl

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP)

The Arkansas Razorbacks begin preparing today for their Jan. 1 date with Georgia in the Sugar Bowl.

When the Razorbacks report to Coach Frank Broyles, the Porks are expected to be in their best physical shape since early in the season.

Razorback trainer Jim Bone said that only defensive end Greg Lackey, who suffered a broken leg, will definitely miss practice.

Bone said defensive back Dennis Berner, who has not played since the third game of the season because of a knee injury, may be able to practice today.

Tackle Terry Don Phillips, who has a chronic back ailment, is expected to be at full strength. Bone said linebacker Cliff Powell, who had a shoulder dislocated near the end of the season, will wear a shoulder harness during the work in pads.

No Teams in the SWC Undeclared

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

... And then there were none. The Southwest Conference lost its remaining undefeated teams in intersectional warfare last week with Baylor and Texas Christian the last to fall on Saturday night.

Texas A&M and Rice stumbled from the unbeaten ranks last Monday night. The Aggies lost 98-87 to Lamar Tech. Rice was stung 108-88 by Tulane.

Baylor was tripped 69-58 by rugged New Mexico State, and TCU was nicked 86-84 by Oklahoma City, a team the Horned Frogs had beaten earlier in the season.

Baylor, TCU, and A&M are now tied for the top spot in the season standings with 3-1 records. Rice is 2-1. Texas Tech and Arkansas are tied with 2-3 slates followed by Texas with a 2-4 record and SMU's 1-4.

The SWC is all even in battles against outside competition 18-18. Although SMU is currently the doormat, it has been playing some tough competition and the Mustangs rang up an impressive 81-70 over previously undefeated Southern Illinois last Monday. The Mustangs also gave highly touted Louisville a hard battle before falling 79-73.

Texas brought home the third place trophy in the Volunteer Classic at Knoxville with a 65-46 win over Oklahoma.

The SWC continues to play a most impressive intersectional schedule.

Some of the more interesting games this week shows the University of Hawaii at Fort Worth Wednesday night to battle TCU and both Baylor and Rice are in tournaments. The Bears are in the Bayou Holiday Classic in Lafayette, La., over the weekend. The Owls fly the flag in the Vanderbilt Tournament in Nashville, Tenn.

In games tonight, Stephen F. Austin is at Texas A&M and Texas Tech is at Tulane.

Kid was counted on for more playing time—and more rebounding.

Cunningham has been doing a little more than his share this year in leading the 76ers to 20 victories in 27 games and 17 out of their last 20.

He leads the club in scoring, rebounding and steals and attributes this to more playing time. Cunningham also says there's more room for him to maneuver, now that Wilt's not clogging up the area around the basket anymore.

Cunningham scored 10 of his 36 points in the final quarter and Chet Walker added another 10 to pace Sunday night's victory. Is

Cazzie Russell and Willis Reed led the Knicks with 25 and 24 points, respectively.

Football

Pro Football Standings

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

National League

Eastern Conference

Capitol Division

W. L. T. Pct.

xDallas 12 2 0 .857

New York 7 7 0 .500

Washington 5 9 0 .357

Philadelphia 2 12 0 .143

Century Division

xCleveland 10 4 0 .717

St. Louis 9 4 1 .692

New Orleans 4 9 1 .308

Pittsburgh 2 11 1 .154

Western Conference

xBaltimore 13 1 0 .929

Los Angeles 10 3 1 .69

San Francisco 7 6 1 .538

Atlanta 2 12 0 .143

Central Division

xMinnesota 8 6 0 .571

Chicago 7 7 0 .500

Green Bay 6 7 1 .462

Detroit 4 8 2 .333

xClinched division title.

Sunday's Results

Baltimore 28, Los Angeles 24

Dallas 28, New York 10

Green Bay 28, Chicago 27

New Orleans 24, Pittsburgh 14

San Francisco 14, Atlanta 12

Washington 14, Detroit 3

Minnesota 24, Philadelphia 17

Saturday's Games

Dallas at Cleveland

Sunday's Games

Western Conference Playoff

Minnesota at Baltimore

American League

Eastern Division

W. L. T. Pct.

xNew York 11 3 0 .768

Houston 7 7 0 .500

Miami 5 8 1 .385

Boston 4 10 0 .287

Buffalo 1 12 1 .077

Western Division

Kansas City 12 2 0 .857

Oakland 12 2 0 .857

San Diego 9 5 0 .643

Denver 5 9 0 .357

Cincinnati 3 11 0 .214

xClinched division title.

Sunday's Results

Houston 45, Boston 17

New York 31, Miami 7

Oakland 34, San Diego 27

Saturday's Games

Western Division Playoff

Kansas at Oakland

Saturday's College Football

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Pecan Bowl at Arlington, Tex.

N. Dakota St. 23, Ark. St. 14

Grantland Rice Bowl

at Murfreesboro, Tenn.

Louisiana Tech 33, Akron 13

Liberty Bowl at Memphis, Tenn.

Mississippi 34, Va. Tech. 17

Camelia Bowl

Humboldt St. 29, Fresno 14

Cunningham

Rises to

Occasion

By KEN RAPPOPORT

Associated Press Sports Writer

Billy Cunningham, the Philadelphia 76ers' springy forward, may not leap over tall buildings like Superman, but he certainly rises to the occasion when he's needed.

Like Sunday night, when he leaped and battled for 23 rebounds and scored 36 points to lead the 76ers to a 110-104 National Basketball Association victory over the New York Knicks.

In other NBA action Sunday, Cincinnati topped Phoenix 119-101 and Los Angeles nipped Seattle 115-114. San Diego's game at Atlanta was postponed when San Diego was unable to get a flight out of New York because of snow.

Denver edged Los Angeles 113-110 in overtime. Houston nipped the New York Nets 105-103 and Kentucky thrashed Miami 123-102 Sunday in the American Basketball Association. The Indiana at Minnesota game was postponed because of the death of John C. Devoe, Indiana president.

Last year, Cunningham was the sixth man on the 76ers. But when Wilt Chamberlain was traded to Los Angeles, Billy the

Solunar Tables

The schedule of Solunar Periods, as printed below, has been taken from Richard Alden Knight's SOLUNAR TABLES. Plan your days so that you will be fishing in good territory or hunting in good cover during these times. If you wish to find the best sport that each day has to offer.

Dec. 16 Monday 3:20 7:35 1:50 8:05

Dec. 17 Tuesday 4:35 8:35 2:20 9:05

Dec. 18 Wednesday 5:50 9:40 3:00 10:15

Dec. 19 Thursday 7:10 10:55 3:55 11:25

Dec. 20 Friday 8:20 11:55 5:10 --

Dec. 21 Saturday 9:20 12:30 6:35 1:10

Dec. 22 Sunday 10:10 1:25 7:55 1:55

Dec. 23 Monday 10:45 2:20 9:15 2:45

Basketball

Pro Basketball Standings

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

American Basketball Association

Eastern Division

W. L. T. Pct. GB

Minnesota 15 7 .696 --

Kentucky 12 11 .522 4

New York 9 15 .375 7 1/2

Miami 9 15 .375 7 1/2

Indiana 9 16 .360 8

Western Division

Oakland 22 4 .846 --

Denver 13 10 .565 7 1/2

Dallas 11 9 .550 8

Los Angeles 10 12 .455 10

New Orleans 9 14 .391 11 1/2

Houston 6 13 .316 13 1/2

Sunday's Results

Denver 113, Los Angeles 110,

overtime.

Indiana at Minnesota, postponed, death

Houston 105, New York 103

Kentucky 133, Miami 102

Only games scheduled.

Eastern Division

W. L. T. Pct. GB

Baltimore 23 7 .767 --

Philadelphia 20 7 .741 1 1/2

Boston 20 9 .690 2 1/2

Cincinnati 20 9 .690 2 1/2

New York 16 17 .485 8 1/2

Detroit 10 18 .357 12

Milwaukee 8 23 .258 15 1/2

Western Division

Los Angeles 21 9 .700 --

Atlanta 16 15 .516 5 1/2

San Diego 14 17 .452 7 1/2

San Francisco 13 18 .419 8 1/2

Chicago 12 19 .387 9 1/2

Seattle 13 21 .382 10

Phoenix 7 23 .233 14

Sunday's Results

Cincinnati 119, Phoenix 101

Los Angeles 115, Seattle 114

Philadelphia 110, New York 104

San Diego at Atlanta p.p.d., snow

Only games scheduled.

Saturday's Pro Basketball

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NBA

Baltimore 120, Boston 101

Cincinnati 121, Milwaukee 115

Phoenix 123, Detroit 118

New York 112, San Diego 105

Philadelphia 137, San Francisco 91

Los Angeles 136, Seattle 120

Only games scheduled.

ABA

Dallas 107, Los Angeles 103

Indiana 112, Houston 103

Oakland 129, New Orleans 120

Miami 116, New 112

Saturday's College Basketball

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East

Rutgers at Delaware, cancelled

Temple 80, New York U. 62

Mass. 89, New Hamp. 57

LaSalle 86, Niagara 73

Columbia 78, Cornell 67

Army 62, Coast Guard 49

Penn St. 63, Kent State 43

Yale 88, Colgate 63

Rhode Is. 111, Maine 101

Fordham 66, Connecticut 55

Providence 64, Brown 63

Princeton 56, Navy 55

St. Bonaventure 85, Toledo 75

Bucknell 71, DePaul 64

South

E. Tennessee 71, Duke 63

Wake Forest 95, Maryland 87

Louisville 84, Dayton 69

Virginia 86, So. Carolina 70

Citadel 80, Appalachian 78

Vanderbilt 102, Miss. St. 87

Tulane 101, La. St. 99, two OT

Kentucky 102, Penn 78

Auburn 75, Mississippi 64

Steph. Austin 97, McNeese 87

Roanoke 82, Baldwin Wallace 72

W. Va. St. 65, W.V.A. Tech 46

Fairmont 110, Concord 65

Midwest

Indiana 77, No. Caro. St. 62

Illinois 75, Iowa State 48

Wisconsin 69, No. Illinois 67

Purdue 100, Ohio U. 89

Ohio St. 89, Harvard 74

Cincinnati 56, Miami, Ohio 48

Creighton 63, Kansas St. 62

Detroit 105, Hillsdale 50

Missouri 76, California St. 56

Minn. 76, Chicago-Loyola 71

Drake 89, Iowa 74

Tulsa 102, Long Beach St. 78

Notre Dame 101, St. Louis U. 76

Bradley 93, Wichita State 83

Neb. 73, Augustana, S.D. 56

Kansas 71, Syracuse 41

W. Kentucky 67, Mich. St. 63

Gannon 82, Cleveland St. 62

Yngstwin 72, Phil. Text. 60

Earlham 94, Franklin 73

a Wittenberg 83, Kenyon 87

Ashland 63, Chicago St. 29

NE Mo. St. 69, SW Mo. St. 66

Southwest

Tex. Tech 55, Hous. Bapt. 49

N. Mex. St. 69, Baylor 58

Okla. City 86, Tex. Chris. 84

N. Mex. 65, Texas-El Paso 61

Finds Dandy Way to Keep Scoring

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Willie Somerset picked a dandy way to keep a 42-point scoring performance from going to waste in the American Basketball Association Sunday night.

He picked up his final two points on a hook shot with four seconds left to give the lowly Houston Mavericks a 105-103 victory over the New York Nets.

Meanwhile, Denver edged Los Angeles 113-110 in overtime and Kentucky routed Miami 123-102 in the day's other activity to gain ground on divisional leaders. Minnesota's home game with Indiana was postponed because of the death of Pacers' president John C. Devoe.

In the National Basketball Association, Cincinnati routed Phoenix 119-101 at Omaha, Neb., Philadelphia stopped New York 110-104 and Los Angeles checked Seattle 115-114. San Diego's game at Atlanta was postponed because the Rockets were snow-bound in New York.

Somerset, whose last ditch goal broke a four-game losing streak by the Western Division's tallenders, earlier had teamed with Dick Clark to lift Houston from behind in the third quarter. The Nets led 54-48 at half-time.

Walt Simon and Bobby Lloyd each scored 20 for the Nets, while Clark finished with 16.

Denver spotted Los Angeles a 14-point halftime lead, then rallied after intermission to produce a 99-99 deadlock at the end

of regulation time. It was tied 101-101 at the start of the extra session before the Rockets' Wayne Hightower connected on a jumper and rookie Walt Platkowski followed with two goals to put Denver ahead for good.

Hightower finished with 30 points as the runner-up Rockets moved to 7½ games back of Oakland in the Western Division.

Ed Johnson scored 29 for Los Angeles.

Louis Dampier poured in 33 points and Gene Moore pulled down 13 rebounds and Jim Caldwell 12 as second-place Kentucky slayed Minnesota's Eastern Division lead to 4 games.

The Colonels were down 28-23 at the end of the first quarter, but rallied for 59-48 halftime lead and Miami was never in the game after that.

Bosoms Display Fall Flat

HAMBURG, Germany (AP) — A display of bare bosoms fell flat in a Hamburg courtroom Thursday during a demonstration by seven young women over the arrest of a friend. Police carried the girls from the courtroom.

The friend, a 23-year-old woman student, had been charged with disturbing the peace during a student organization by going bare-breasted.

She was acquitted of the charge, but then joined with the other seven women in dropping some vital undergarments as they climbed benches to sing a song from the Three Penny Opera starting, "Gentlemen, today you see us here standing naked."

Jess Willard, Boxing Champ, Succumbs

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Jess Willard, the giant boxer who was The Great White Hope of those who wanted the world's heavyweight title taken from Negro champion Jack Johnson, is dead at 86.

Willard won the crown in one of history's greatest fights, now fictionalized in the Broadway play, The Great White Hope.

The 230-pound Willard lost his title four years later to Jack Dempsey. It was 45 years after that before boxing experts, studying films, acknowledged Willard's greatness.

He died Sunday in Pacoima Memorial Lutheran Hospital of a cerebral hemorrhage following treatment for a heart attack. His wife Hattie was by his side.

In 1911, at the age of 30, Willard began a boxing career from which he retired 12 years later.

Johnson was champion when Willard became a boxer, in Willard's words, because "every one was looking for what they called a white hope."

On a hot day in 1915 in Havana, Cuba, Willard knocked out the 207½-pound Johnson in the 26th round of a scheduled 45-round match.

Controversy over the fight started five years later when Johnson, broke and living in Paris, sold a magazine article in which he claimed he took a dive in Havana.

Willard denied it. He said he beat Johnson "fair and square and knocked him out with a right hand punch."

When he lost the title to Dempsey in 1919 more controversy ensued. Again it was a broiling hot day—July 4 in Toledo, Ohio.

Willard, who had never been knocked off his feet, was floored by Dempsey seven times in the first round. By the fourth round, Willard, with a broken jaw and cheek bones, one eye closed, was unable to get off his stool.

Films showed that Dempsey stood over the fallen Willard and hit him before he could get to his feet.

"I'd say," commented Willard, "the referee didn't exactly give me the best of it."

All his life, Willard contended that Dempsey's gloves—or at least the left one which did all the damage—contained something more than the usual padding.

He blamed Dempsey's manager, the late Jack Kearns. Kearns joked off the accusation, telling The Associated Press: "Now, I didn't use plaster of Paris on the bandages. It was cement."

The Willards had two sons, Jess Jr. and Alan, who live with their families in the metropolitan Los Angeles area. Funeral arrangements are pending.

Pete Rose Is Leading NL Batter

By HAROLD HARRISON
CINCINNATI (AP) — Pete Rose, Cincinnati Reds' outfielder, is the official National League 1968 batting champion, thus ending a four-year-old hold by the Pittsburgh Pirates on the hitting title.

But it was a Pirate who gave Rose his toughest battle. Rose finished with .335 in 149 games and Pittsburgh's Matty Alou was second with .332 in 146 games, according to official league averages released Saturday.

Alou won the title in 1966 and Roberto Clemente of the Pirates did it in 1964, 1965 and 1967.

In addition to having a batting champion for the first time since 1938, the Reds also copped the team hitting title with an average of .273 to .252 for second place Pittsburgh. A pitching collapse, however, left the Reds in fourth place at the finish of the season.

Rose and Felipe Alou of the Atlanta Braves shared the lead in hits with 210 each.

Lou Brock of the St. Louis Cardinals and Willie McCovey of the San Francisco Giants were big winners in other championship categories.

Brock had 46 doubles, 14 triples and 62 stolen bases, becoming the first player since Honus Wagner in 1908 to lead in those three categories.

McCovey topped the league in home runs with 36 and runs batted in with 105. It was the lowest championship runs-batted-in total since the league started compiling such records in 1920. High in 1920 was Rogers Hornsby of the Cardinals and George Kelly of the then New York Giants, each with 94.

HOPE (ARK) STAR, Printed by Offset



USING HIS HEAD, Sean Connery, noted for his portrayal of the screen's super-sleuth, James Bond, bounces a soccer ball in Los Angeles. At one time, the actor wanted to become a professional soccer player.

Arkansas S. Loses to N. Dakota

ARLINGTON, Tex. (gkp) — Arkansas State rallied for two fourth-quarter touchdowns but North Dakota State held on and defeated the Indians 23-14 in the fifth annual Pecan Bowl Saturday.

The No. 1 ranked small college Bisons scored quickly in the first quarter after a Arkansas State fumble and then scored two more to lead 23-0 at the half.

But quarterback James Hamilton inspired the Indian offense in the second half while ASU's defense, led by Little All-American linebacker Bill Bergey, stopped the Bison.

Hamilton first scored on a 10-yard scamper with 12:17 to go in the game to highlight a 44-yard drive in seven plays. Cecil LaGrone then passed to Pat Casey for the two point conversion, cutting the Bison lead to 23-8.

With 1:51 remaining, Hamilton sneaked across from the one. A try for two points failed. ASU tried an onside kick following the score but North Dakota covered the ball and ran out the clock.

Churning 108 yards in 25 carries for the Bison was Paul Hatchett, a Little All-American. It was Hatchett who bolted 18 yards for the first Bison score.

Hatchett has named the game's outstanding offensive player and Bergey was named the outstanding defensive player.

Withdrawals, Ceasefire Are Urged

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of Defense Clark M. Clifford says the United States should negotiate an early Vietnam ceasefire and troop withdrawals, leaving the political settlement to Saigon, Hanoi and the Viet Cong.

"I have no idea that we should maintain 50,000 (American) men there fighting," Clifford said Sunday, "while we wait for Saigon and Hanoi to come to some political settlement."

Clifford also said a possible new enemy offensive in South Vietnam would not wreck the Paris peace talks, noting President Johnson had foreseen "hard bargaining and hard fighting ahead."

The defense secretary was interviewed on the CBS radio-television program "Face the Nation."

He suggested the U.S. role at the Paris talks should be limited to military matters and the more time-consuming political settlement should be left to the Vietnamese, including the Viet Cong's National Liberation Front.

"Now, I say that the political settlement is a matter between Saigon and Hanoi and the NLF," Clifford said. "Our military problem involves North Vietnam... I say the military settlement should come first."

The secretary expressed repeated annoyance with the prolonged dispute at Paris over seating of the four delegations. He said the squabbling is between Hanoi and Saigon, not involving the United States.

"I would like to get going at the Paris conference," he said. "I would like to start getting our troops out of there. I would like to see a ceasefire."

There is some indication the enemy may decide this month or next to launch a new "winter offensive" in the South, Clifford said.

He said there are indications of an enemy buildup, particularly in the Third Corps area in which Saigon is located.

But Clifford said such an offensive would not violate the agreement under which President Johnson halted bombing of North Vietnam, and noted that both sides have continued ground fighting since Johnson's announcement.

He said the major U.S. concern was infiltration across the Demilitarized Zone that would increase the jeopardy to U.S. troops, and said Hanoi is not believed to have violated that part of the agreement.

Can't See Another War

NEW YORK (AP) — Israeli Defense Minister Moshe Dayan says he does not believe there will be another all-out Arab-Israeli war "for a long time."

Dayan flew back to Israel Sunday night after a brief visit which included a meeting with President-elect Nixon.

Football Game Delays Show

NEW YORK (AP) — The National Broadcasting Co. delayed the start of a kiddies' television show Sunday because a football game ran late, then set back the opening of all the evening's programs by eight minutes.

NBC let the telecast of the San Diego-Oakland American Football League game, a crucial one, run to the end, even though it made the start of the Hickelberry Finn show eight minutes late.

Earlier this season NBC received a bundle of complaints when it cut off more than minute of a New York Jets-Oakland game which was decided in the last 60 seconds.

A network spokesman said of Sunday's delay, "I can't remember when we've done anything like this before. It's very unusual."

Humphrey to Take College Post

By KAREN A. MILLS
Associated Press Writer
ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) — Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey announced Sunday he will return as a professor to two schools in the Twin Cities which hold especially fond memories for him.

Humphrey, a 1939 graduate of the University of Minnesota at Minneapolis and a teacher at Macalester College of St. Paul in 1943 and 1944, has accepted a joint professorship at the two schools.

The vice president said at a gathering in Macalester's fine arts center that after 25 years in politics he has some things he wants to say and the job in his home state should provide a very good atmosphere for both teaching and learning.

The crowd of over 600, about half of them students, applauded enthusiastically after Humphrey said he would accept the teaching offer. "Word must have spread that I'm a soft grader," Humphrey responded.

The courses which Humphrey will teach after his duties as vice president end Jan. 20 have not been outlined in detail, but there are indications he will give some regular lectures and hold some seminars.

Humphrey also said he hoped in his new position to work on solutions to some problems facing society.

"It is clear that many of the answers which were satisfactory even a decade ago are no longer acceptable. The universities have become a forum for the expression of this dissatisfaction, as well as the place where better answers are being sought," Humphrey said.

The Minnesota Democrat, who lost in this year's presidential election said teaching was not his main objective in returning to the state.

The vice president will receive \$30,000 for teaching nine months at the two schools.



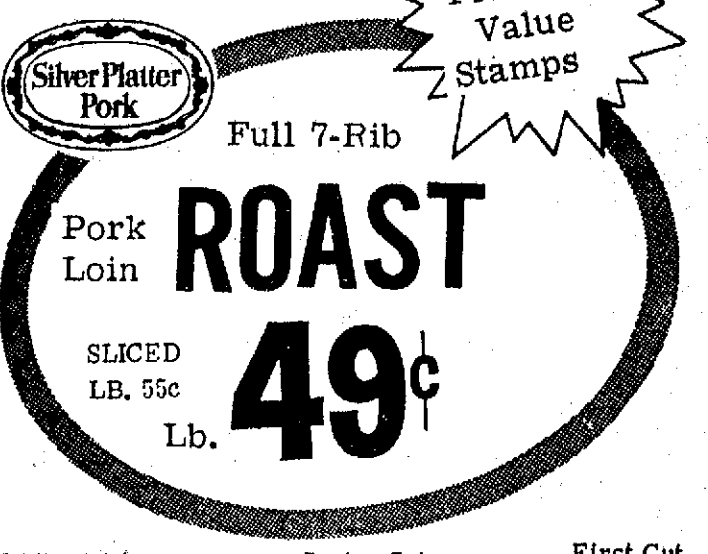
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12-12-ff

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12-7-ff

YOUNG AND OLD alike are caught up in the Vietnam turmoil. These two members of a Montague tribe, find safety in a Cambodian refugee camp near the Vietnamese border.



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THE WELL CHILD

Enlarged Thymus Gland No Cause for Worry

By WAYNE G. BRANDSTADT, M.D.



A Florida mother tells me that her 3-month-old daughter has an enlarged thymus that causes noisy and difficult breathing. Her doctor shows no concern about this and says the gland will shrink as the child grows older. Since the child breathes more easily in a cool room, this mother wonders whether air conditioning would be harmful?

All babies have a large thymus. When there is difficulty breathing some other cause should be sought be-

cause, even if the thymus is enlarged out of all normal proportion, it will not exert undue pressure on the windpipe.

The doctor is correct in stating that the thymus will shrink. By age 20 it will have practically disappeared. This gland performs a useful purpose in helping a child to develop an immunity to various infections and no effort should be made by the use of irradiation to shrink it prematurely.

When the cause of this baby's respiratory trouble is

found the treatment should be apparent. Meanwhile, there is no reason why she should not sleep in an air-conditioned room so long as the cold current does not strike her directly.

Q—Is it dangerous to bring a newborn baby into a home where two neutered cats have the run of the house but do not go outside at any time? The cats have not been trained not to jump onto beds and chairs. I would not want to get rid of the pets unless it is necessary for the baby's health. What precautions can I take? Also, if woolen blankets that have been kept in mothballs are aired, washed and sunned, would they hurt the baby?

A—Even a neutered cat can and should be trained and it is not too late to start. Although the cats are not likely to transmit any disease to the baby, they should be kept away from him during his first 12 to 14 months.

Napthalene fumes are harmless except when a very heavy concentration is inhaled for a prolonged period. Countless generations of babies have survived moderate concentrations without ill effects.

Q—Will children who visit in the home of a patient with active tuberculosis and stay overnight be exposed to the disease?

A—This is against all health laws because the danger is very great unless the patient's disease is definitely quiescent. If the children have been exposed they should be checked for early signs of the disease. (Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

Please send your questions and comments to Wayne G. Brandstadt, M.D., in care of this paper. While Dr. Brandstadt cannot answer individual letters, he will answer letters of general interest in future columns.

"Hue and Cry"

The phrase "hue and cry" originated in early English common law with the practice of pursuing a criminal with horn and voice. When a felony was discovered, the victim raised a "hue and cry" and his neighbors were bound by law to join in the pursuit of the suspected criminal, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

WIN AT BRIDGE

U.S. International Team Selected

By Oswald & James Jacoby

NORTH 16			
♠ 53			
♥ Q 8 7 6			
♦ A Q 10 8			
♣ 7 5 3			
WEST			
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♥ K 4 3			
♦ K 7 2			
♣ Q 9 8 4 2			
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♥ 9 2			
♦ 9 6 4 3			
♣ A 10			
SOUTH (D)			
♠ A J 8 6			
♥ A J 10 5			
♦ J 5			
♣ K J 6			
Neither vulnerable			
West	North	East	South
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Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass		Pass	
Opening lead—♣ 4			

Jim: "Your choice of George Rapee of New York, Sidney Lazard of New Orleans, Billy Eisenberg and Bob Goldman of Dallas and Bob Hamman and Eddy Kantar of Los Angeles as the 1969 United States International Team gave us a cross-section of the country as well as a fine group."

Oswald: "These men made my problem of selection an easy one by running away with the trials and finishing 1, 2 and 3 by such a wide margin that I would have had to select them even if I had not been delighted with their performance and general qualities. Naturally I would have been very happy to have you on the team but, as we agreed in advance, my dual position as captain and father meant that you would have to finish in the top three to be chosen. There is nothing wrong with your seventh-place finish. You beat out nine of the best pairs in North America but six other pairs beat you."

Jim: "I'll be back in contention again next year and do better."

Oswald: "Sidney Lazard's no-trump opening was a minimum, maybe a sub-minimum. George Rapee's two-club response asked for a four-card major and Sidney found himself in a heart game. East won the club

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lead with the ace and returned the 10. Sidney, not happy, had to try to make the hand. He took his king of clubs and led the jack of diamonds. West's king lost to dummy's ace and Sidney discarded his jack of clubs on a good diamond. Now it was just a matter of careful play to make the game. He led a spade and put in his jack. West took his queen and played the queen of clubs. Sidney ruffed, cashed the spade ace, ruffed a spade low, ruffed dummy's last diamond, ruffed his last spade and eventually lost a trick to the king of trumps." Jim: "Just a nice, workmanlike job and that's the way to win at bridge." (Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

16 ♠CARD Sense♦♦

Q—You, South, hold:
♠ J 4 ♥ A K 9 8 7 ♦ K 5 3 ♣ Q 6 2
What is your opening bid?
A—Bid one heart. You have 13 high card points and a good five card suit.

TODAY'S QUESTION
Your partner responds one spade. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

WORLD ALMANAC FACTS



Alaska's Katmai National Monument, twice the size of Delaware and the largest of all U.S. national parks and monuments, was visited by only 1,200 people in 1967. The World Almanac says, in 1912, one of history's greatest volcanic eruptions took place in Katmai. The wastes in one valley are still desolate enough to provide astronauts with rock samples similar to what might be found on the moon.

Christmas Cheer STARTS HERE

Send Your Family's "Christmas Greetings" To 3,349 Homes for only \$1.25

This year the Hope Star will again publish Christmas Greetings signed by our readers and their families.

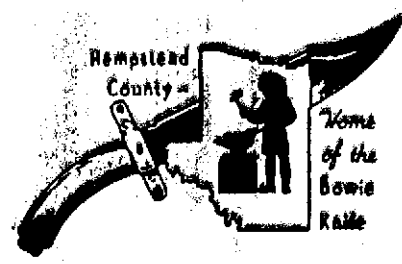
For only \$1.25 you can place your own greeting or one written by our ad taker. All of the greetings will appear on the same page which will have a Christmas Illustration & Season's Greetings, in beautiful script type, across the top.

Greetings will appear in Alphabetical order according to the last name of the family. Greetings must not exceed 15 words each.

HERE'S AN EXAMPLE:

"OUR BEST WISHES FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS

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Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor
Alex. H. Washburn
It's Perfectly Clear to Arkansans

Bill Lawrence, White House correspondent for the American Broadcasting Company, said on a political panel discussion at 6:30 last Friday night: "What I can't figure out about Arkansas is how one state in one election could vote at one and the same time for, (1) George Wallace, (2) Winthrop Rockefeller, and (3) Bill Fulbright. If Mr. Lawrence is baffled because Arkansas voters supported three different parties — American Independent for president, Republican for governor, and Democratic for senator — in the same election, all I can say is he is putting misplaced confidence in party labels.

Actually the Arkansas vote on Nov. 5 was entirely consistent. The common thread that joined three separate races was the disenchantment of Arkansans' people with just about everything on the Potomac scene.

So they voted for George Wallace, for president, who was against the Democrats because of Johnson and Humphrey, and equally against the Republicans because of disillusion with the previous Eisenhower administration.

And Arkansans voted for Winthrop Rockefeller for governor because (1) he was a Republican and anti-Potomac, and (2) an anti-Potomac man seeking the traditional second term.

Arkansans voted for Bill Fulbright for senator — a Democrat, true, but probably the fiercest anti-administration Democrat in the senate. . . something the people could really go for in a distinguished native son, borne out by a landslide vote.

So their Nov. 5 verdict in three different races isn't confusing at all to the minds of Arkansans — but a clear-cut vote hostile to the Potomac seat of power.

This newspaper backed two of the three state-wide winners, Rockefeller and Fulbright. We supported Nixon for president as a matter of political strategy, exactly as the nation did — but we understood and sympathized with the thousands of fellow Arkansans who carried the state for Wallace for president.

How could I do otherwise, flaunting over the name-plate of this newspaper for years that cryptic and original line: "The tragedy of Man: He starts off with a Country — and winds up with a Government!"?

A Warming Trend for Arkansas

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Southerly winds are expected to promote a warming trend in Arkansas through Tuesday.

However, the approach of another frontal system from the west will touch off scattered showers in the western portion of the state Tuesday. The showers are expected to spread to the eastern portion Tuesday.

Freezing temperatures will be prevalent again tonight in the eastern portion of the state but the western portion should enjoy warmer readings because of increasing cloudiness and southerly winds.

Temperatures Tuesday should move near the 60-degree mark.

The high reported around the state Sunday ranged from 32 at Pine Bluff to 41 at Texarkana. Overnight low temperatures ranged from 16 at Fayetteville to 25 at Texarkana. No rainfall was reported during the 24-hour period ended at 6 a.m.

Cardinal to the War Area

NEW YORK (AP) — Archbishop Terence J. Cooke of New York, carrying on a tradition begun by Francis Cardinal Spellman, left today to spend the holidays with American troops, including Christmas in South Vietnam.

Stars of Year Are Named

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Barbara Streisand and Fred Astaire were named Stars of the Year Sunday night by the Hollywood Women's Press Club and received the club's Golden Apple awards for 1968.

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Protests in Colleges Spreading

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Uniformed ROTC students patrolled Kansas State University for a second night Sunday while California's College of San Mateo was ordered reopened "as an armed camp."

The Kansas fire marshal Arthur Ramey, said a blaze which destroyed Nichols Gymnasium at Kansas State Friday had been "a set fire." He also confirmed that an ROTC guard had scared off someone apparently pouring a liquid at the base of Farrell Library early Sunday.

A foreign substance found there was being analyzed. The patrols were ordered at the Manhattan, Kan., campus after the four-hour gym fire. Officials said a threat was made Thursday night to burn the university unless students were given more say about university policy. Two other arson threats have been received by university personnel.

At San Mateo, the two-year school was ordered reopened today following a rampage Friday by about 150 students, mostly Negroes.

A sizable police force has been given instructions to bar from the campus anyone without proper identification. Declaring that "a firm stand must be taken," College President Robert L. Ewigleben said the school would be "an armed camp."

Friday's violence, which left a dozen persons injured and caused \$5,000 damage, followed a rally in support of the student strike at San Francisco State, which was closed for the holidays because of the student disorders.

San Francisco State's trustees have agreed to hear grievances of American Federation of Teachers Local 1382, which had threatened to strike Jan. 6 unless "meaningful negotiations" begin.

The union is demanding better working conditions, more campus autonomy, and resolution of student problems.

The union claims about 250 of the college's 1,100 instructors are members, but has no contract with the institution.

At Washington University in St. Louis, an eight-day occupation by about 40 Negro students of two university offices ended Saturday.

A hearing was scheduled today into the alleged roughing up of a Negro graduate student arrested by four campus police Dec. 5.

Air Pollution Adds to Grocery Bill and Is Harmful to Crops

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK (AP) — Things a columnist might never know if he didn't open his mail:

Air pollution adds to your grocery bill as well as increasing laundry costs and possibly damaging your lungs. Befouling of the atmosphere is estimated by agricultural experts to cause \$500 million in crop damage each year.

Did you ever win anything beside a floor lamp or a book as a door prize? When the Colosseum was opened in Rome in 80 A.D., the Emperor Titus gave away slaves as door prizes to winning ticket holders.

A new way to remove tattoo marks has been developed at the University of Iowa Medical College. The surfaces layers of pigmented skin are removed in a few moments with a diamond burr. The skin dye then comes to the surface and flakes off as the abraded areas heal.

Every step forward creates a new problem. An example is the new concealed window wipers on cars. The problem? Traffic cops are stumped as to where to affix tickets for parking violations.

Each year Americans use enough wood to build a bridge of logs to the moon. Perhaps at that it would be cheaper to get to the moon that way than by building space vessels.

Quotable notables: "The stomach is the only part of man that can be satisfied. The yearning of man's brain for new knowledge and experience . . .

Astronauts Undergoing Final Physicals, Moon Shot Is on Schedule

By HOWARD BENEDICT
AP Aerospace Writer

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — With the countdown for their moon voyage under way, the Apollo 8 astronauts today receive the final major physical examination for the flight.

Air Force Col. Frank Borman, Navy Capt. James A. Lovell Jr. and Air Force Maj. William A. Anders plan several hours with space agency doctors, who want to be sure they are in excellent shape for the mission.

The astronauts are scheduled to rocket into space at 7:51 a.m. EST Saturday, heading for a Christmas Eve orbit around the moon.

The lengthy countdown for the launching of the Saturn 5 rocket started on schedule at 7 p.m. Sunday when electrical power was fed to the Apollo 8 ship atop the 36-story-tall booster. Experts began systematic checking to make certain all elements of the \$55-million mooncraft are functioning.

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration reported the early stages of the count proceeded normally.

A primary reason for the long physical exam was to gather data on heart beat, respiration and other readings for in-flight and postflight comparison.

The doctors also examine for any sign of colds like those which plagued the Apollo 7 astronauts throughout their 11-day

flight in October.

If one of the astronauts contacted a severe cold, the flight could be postponed or he could be replaced by a backup pilot.

Earlier this month, Borman, Lovell and Anders received inoculations against Hong Kong flu, as did about 1,200 persons at Cape Kennedy who are associated with launch preparations or who work closely with the astronauts.

NASA also has instituted a "limited exposure" program including a campaign to encourage space workers with colds to stay away from the spacemen.

The astronauts spent a relaxing Sunday during which all three attended church.

Death Penalty Case Before High Court

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court today took on a major thrust at capital punishment—a plea that it limit the freedom of juries to sentence people to death.

The test case, from Arkansas, questions the constitutionality of allowing juries—without some guidance from trial judges—to impose the death penalty at their own discretion.

The same case also poses a second major challenge—the question of allowing juries to determine guilt and punishment at the same time.

The appeal was brought by the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund for an Arkansas Negro facing execution for the rape of a white woman.

Without taking on the direct issue of whether the death penalty itself is constitutional, the court has been receptive recently to sideswipes at capital punishment.

Indeed, last term it ruled that opponents of capital punishment cannot automatically be kept off juries that have the power to sentence a man to death.

Earlier this term, the court agreed to hear an attack on use of the death penalty for nonfatal store robberies.

In the Arkansas case, William L. Maxwell, 28, stands convicted of the rape of a 35-year-old unmarried white woman in Hot Springs. He was sentenced to death in 1962 in Garland County Circuit Court.

The NAACP fund also sought Supreme Court consideration of the thesis that the death penalty is imposed disproportionately on Negroes in the South when white women were their victims.

Court Will Study Alabama Vote Laws

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court agreed today to hear an attack on Alabama election laws as racially motivated and designed to keep Negroes from winning public office.

The challenge was posed by the fledgling National Democratic party of Alabama. This is a racially integrated group which supported the Democratic presidential ticket in November, rather than former Gov. George C. Wallace, and ran scores of Negroes.

At the same time, the court said it would hear a claim by six Negro candidates in Alabama that Greene County Probate Judge James Dennis Herndon willfully kept them off the ballot despite a pre-election order by the court.

Finds Surprise in Milkbox

FARMINGTON, Conn. (AP) — A Farmington housewife found a surprise in her milkbox last week. Tucked alongside the milk was a purse she had lost when it fell out of her car.

A note attached explained that a Lincoln Dairy deliveryman Parker Kendell, making his rounds in Hartford early in the morning found the purse and turned it in at the dairy office. There an employee noticed the owner was a customer.

This Guard Deserts

CUMMINS PRISON FARM, Ark. (AP) — Officials at Cummins Prison farm recently decided they should send a guard with an inmate who drove one of the prison's milk trucks to a nearby town.

A short time later, the inmate called the prison and told officials he had been deserted. The guard wandered off and didn't return.

Arctic Air Spreads Across the Nation

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Temperatures plunged to freezing as far south as Florida today as Arctic air poured behind a storm center which dumped up to a foot of snow in some areas of the Northeast.

Miami recorded a 34-degree temperature reading early this morning—the coldest for any day in December since 1940. Patches of frost occurred inland from the Miami area northward through Florida, Atlanta reported an overnight reading of 21.

Heavy snow warnings and hazardous driving conditions remained in Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine as the storm center edged northward along the Maine coast.

Another storm moved down from the Pacific Northwest and brought rains, high winds and snow in higher elevations from Washington and Idaho south to California.

Winds up to 60 miles an hour tore through the San Francisco Bay area Sunday and ripped a section of roof from a motel. No one was injured but rains drenched sleeping patrons and owners estimated damage at \$100,000.

Frank Leahy Joins KXAR as Engineer



FRANK LEAHY
Frank Leahy, 26, of Casper, Wyo., joined the staff of Radio Station KXAR as engineer and announcer Dec. 1, General Manager Haskell Jones announced today.

Mr. Leahy will be heard Monday through Friday on newscasts at 12 noon and at 4:55 and 6:30 p.m., and on "Tradio" — a swap program — at 1 p.m.

A native of Memphis he was educated at National Cathedral School, Washington, D.C.; Kemper Military Academy, Booneville, Mo.; and North Texas State University at Denton, Texas, being graduated there with a BBA degree in 1966.

Mr. Leahy is a graduate of the Elkins Institute of Electronics, Dallas, where he obtained an FCC first-class telephone engineering license, and a graduate also of the Elkins School of Radio-Television Broadcasting.

He has worked at two FM broadcasting stations, covered free lance news assignments for two radio organizations, and has worked for Western Union News Service and United Press International.

Mr. Leahy covered the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, the 1964 Poor People's March on Washington, and the Watts riots at Los Angeles.

He represented the U.S.A. at the funeral of Gen.issimo Trujillo, dictator of the Dominican Republic, following his assassination — due to the fact he had been a roommate at Kemper Military Academy of the dictator's son, Ramfis.

Mr. Leahy is staying at the Carl Smith residence, 319 N. Elm St.

Asian Flu Spreads Over U.S.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Hong Kong flu caused two more early-holiday school closings, but several others tentatively scheduled reopenings this week.

In many hospitals, visiting privileges have been either canceled or drastically restricted to avoid further spread of the malady.

Four Virginia colleges, which normally would have closed later this week, shut down last Wednesday and Thursday. Starting today, three central Virginia hospitals began discouraging visitors to protect patients from the flu.

Central Michigan University canceled all classes until Jan. 6, while Northern Michigan University also closed a week early because of "flu-like" illnesses.

Two Maryland schools, closed last week, planned to resume classes this week in view of no significant outbreaks over the weekend.

In Cleveland, Ohio, three Catholic schools closed last week will open today.

In Wisconsin, health authorities said blood tests showed Type A incidence of the flu up as much as 17 per cent in some localities compared to 3 per cent in November. In Milwaukee, about 10 per cent of the schools' teachers were absent last week, while more than 20 Milwaukee-area hospitals cut down drastically on the number of visitors.

In San Francisco, the virus reportedly made little impact on the general populace, but the police department said 300 of its men were ill, mostly with the flu. The department said it did not know if it was the Hong Kong variety.

In Pittsburgh, hospitals reported an upsurge in flu-like illnesses but pinpointed only five cases as being of the Hong Kong variety. To guard against any possible general outbreak, six hospitals restricted visiting privileges.

Cleveland hospitals reported that their staffs have been hit hard by illness, while absenteeism among police and firemen because of illness was at least three times the normal level.

New York City Health Commissioner Edward O'Rourke predicted Sunday that the Hong Kong epidemic would strike one out of every five New Yorkers and that the disease would cause 300 to 400 deaths, particularly among chronic sufferers from heart and lung disease.

Jews' Begin Festival

NEW YORK (AP) — Chanukah, the Jews' eight-day Festival of Lights, began at sundown Sunday.

Traditionally, Jews around the world light a candle each evening to commemorate the victory of the Maccabees over the Syrians in 165 B.C.

All Around Town

By The Star Staff

Members of the Hope Junior Auxiliary will have Christmas parties in local nursing homes on Tuesday, December 17 at 2 p.m. . . they are asked to consult their schedules.

Whitfield Masonic Lodge No. 239 will have a regular meeting Tuesday, December 17 at 7:30 p.m.

Charles Cooper, 19, of Hope, Ark. was among the 258 Gary Job Corps Center trainees to receive a certificate of completion at formal graduation ceremonies recently. . . Cooper completed the welding course and has been in training at Gary for 10 months.

Candy Harris of Hope has received an Honor Scholarship for the fall semester at Henderson State College. . . to qualify for an Honor Scholarship a student must be the top ranking senior in his school class or a member scored in the top 10 per cent. . . Miss Harris is the daughter of Doctor and Mrs. C. Lynn Harris of Hope.

The Junior Class of Hope High School expresses appreciation to the public for helping make its rummage sale, bake and yard cleanup drive a huge success the past three weekends. . . members of the class are extremely grateful.

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GOVERNMENT-POLITICS
President-elect Nixon meets Republican congressional leaders today, apparently to discuss the political aspects of the Democratic majority in the Senate and House.

The Electoral College selects Nixon as the 37th president of the United States today.

A proposal to give the American public more voice in the design and location of federal highways provokes a controversy.

Vice President Humphrey will teach at two Minnesota schools that hold fond memories for him.

VIETNAM
U.S. B52s keep on pounding the invasion corridors north of Saigon, but an enemy offensive does not appear imminent.

Secretary of Defense Clark M. Clifford says the United States should negotiate an early cease-fire and troop withdrawals, leaving the political settlement to the Vietnamese.

INTERNATIONAL
The Brazilian government arrests hundreds of opponents and puts censorship into effect.

Fears of a new political upheaval in Czechoslovakia subsides as the Communist party central committee retains Alexander Dubcek as party leader.

FLIGHT TO THE MOON
The countdown for Apollo 8's moon voyage is in progress. The three astronauts undergo a physical examination.

NATIONAL
The Hong Kong flu forces some more schools to close early for the Christmas vacation, but others reopen. Richard Cardinal Cushing joins the list of those who are ill.

Railway Merger Delayed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court delayed today the Northern Lines Railroad merger.

The at least temporary setback to creation of a massive consolidated line in the Northwest was granted on an application by the Justice Department.

The department had claimed the merger would have a "drastic anticompetitive impact" and that "the public interest will be irreparably injured."

The court, acting on the department's motion for a stay, ordered a delay "to remain in effect until further order of the court."

Presumably, the stay will continue until the court decides whether it will hear an appeal by the Justice Department striving to derail the merger.

The major roads involved are the Great Northern Railway, the Northern Pacific Railway and the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad. Also included would be smaller lines such as the Pacific Coast Railway and the Spokane, Portland and Seattle Railway.

Merged they would have assets of \$2.8 billion.

Some U.S. Prisoners to Be Released

By GEORGE ESFER

Associated Press Writer
SAIGON (AP) — The United States today returned seven civilian seamen to North Vietnam, and Radio Moscow confirmed that Hanoi has announced it will release some American pilots at Christmas.

A U.S. spokesman said the release of the seven North Vietnamese was arranged in Vientiane, the Laotian capital. He said Hanoi's representatives had given no immediate indication that their government planned to release any of the hundreds of American fliers it has captured.

But a spokesman for Moscow Radio confirmed a broadcast by the Soviet radio Saturday which said: "Radio Hanoi stated today Dec. 14 that a group of American pilots who were taken into captivity when their planes were shot down over the territory of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam will be released at Christmas."

The Hanoi broadcast had not been heard by monitors in Tokyo, Hong Kong or Saigon, and in the absence of official word from the North Vietnamese it was thought Moscow might have been mistaken.

The report relayed by Moscow gave no indication exactly when or how the fliers would be released.

The U.S. Command in Saigon said the release of the North Vietnamese seamen was an "action of good will" which it hoped would "lead to further release of prisoners."

The men were released offshore about 13 miles northeast of Vinh, a coastal city 145 miles north of the demilitarized zone.

A spokesman said the U.S. and North Vietnamese diplomats in Vientiane who negotiated the release "gave assurances that the operation would be safe from military action." But no cease-fire was declared because President Johnson's order halting all aerial, naval and artillery bombardment of North Vietnam on Nov. 1 made that unnecessary, the spokesman explained.

Seven Persons Die on State Highways

Seven persons were killed over the weekend on Arkansas highways. The Associated Press count began at 6 p.m. Friday and ended at midnight Sunday.

Two persons were killed Sunday and one Saturday night in separate accidents.

Mrs. Berdie Patterson, 65, of North Little Rock was killed fatally Saturday night when she was struck by a car as she attempted to cross a highway near North Little Rock.

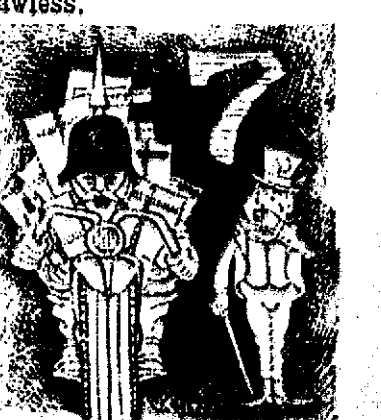
C. C. Moore, 58, and Edward Lee Wolfe, 34, both of Jonesboro, were killed Sunday when their vehicles collided head-on near Jonesboro.

The other victims were identified as Larry Pickett, 18, of Garfield; John Mayer, 41, of Galveston, Tex.; A. B. Albert, 43, of Bauxite, and Tommy Tucker, 51, of Dermott.

Launching Is Flawless

VANDENBERG AIR FORCE BASE, Calif. (AP) — The eighth ESSA weather satellite is orbiting the earth, photographing the cloud cover every six minutes.

The 290-pound spacecraft was launched Sunday after being delayed for three days by high winds. A U.S. space agency spokesman said the launch was flawless.



SHOPPING DAYS 'TIL CHRISTMAS

SIDE GLANCES

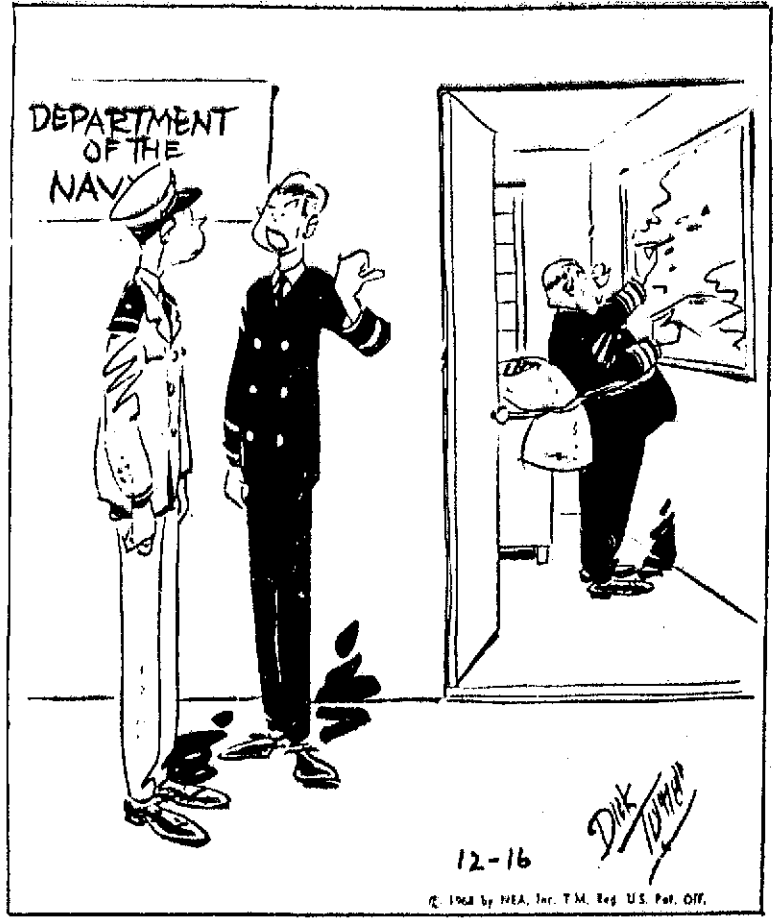
By GILL FOX



"If you can't cure me of worrying about taxes, maybe you know a good loophole, man!"

CARNIVAL

By DICK TURNER



"You'd think, as defense minded as the skipper is, he'd check for submarines before following his grandson into the bathtub!"

FLASH GORDON

By DAN BARRY



THE BORN LOSER

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OUT OUR WAY

By NEG COCHRAN



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By MAJOR HOOPLE



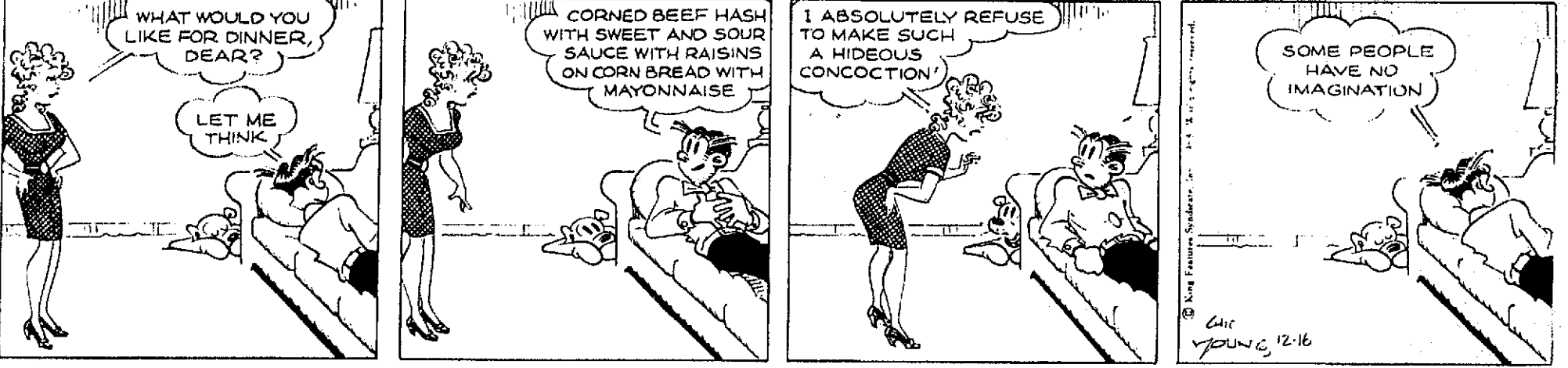
QUICK QUIZ

Q—Why does the north star neither rise nor set?
A—It is directly over the axis on which the earth spins, so rotation of the earth does not affect its position as seen from the earth.

Q—Which is the world's largest synagogue?
A—The Temple Emanu-El in New York City. When all the facilities are in use, over 6,000 people can be accommodated.

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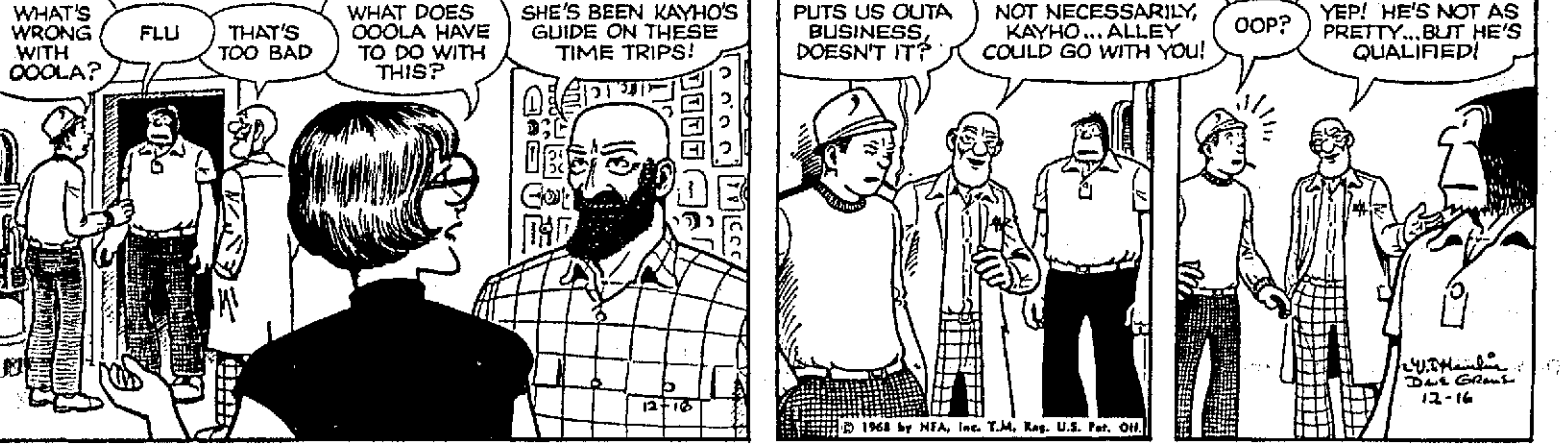
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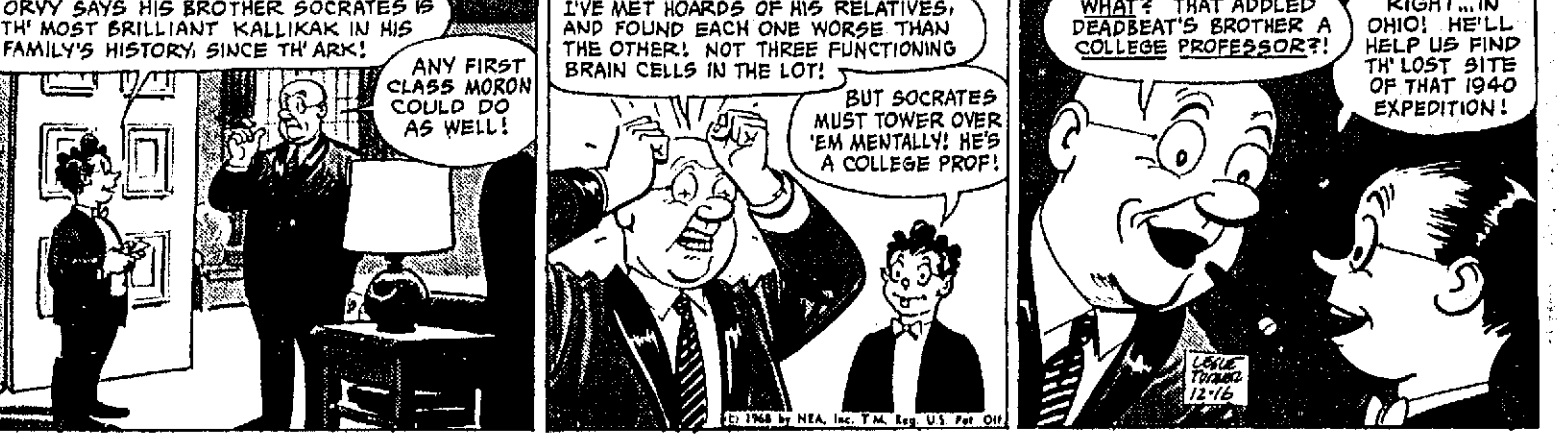
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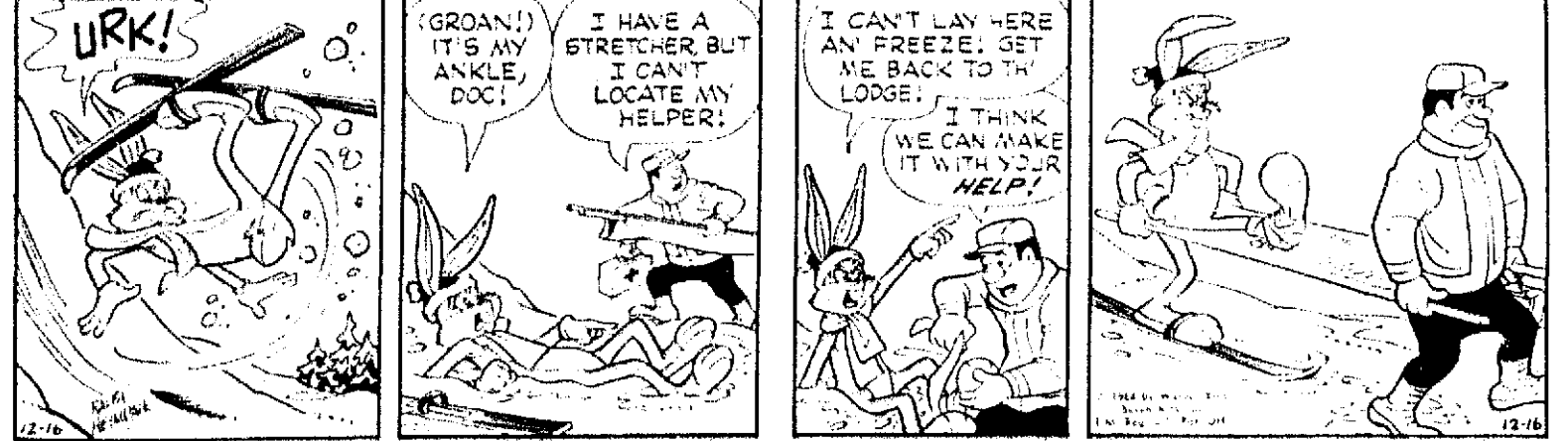
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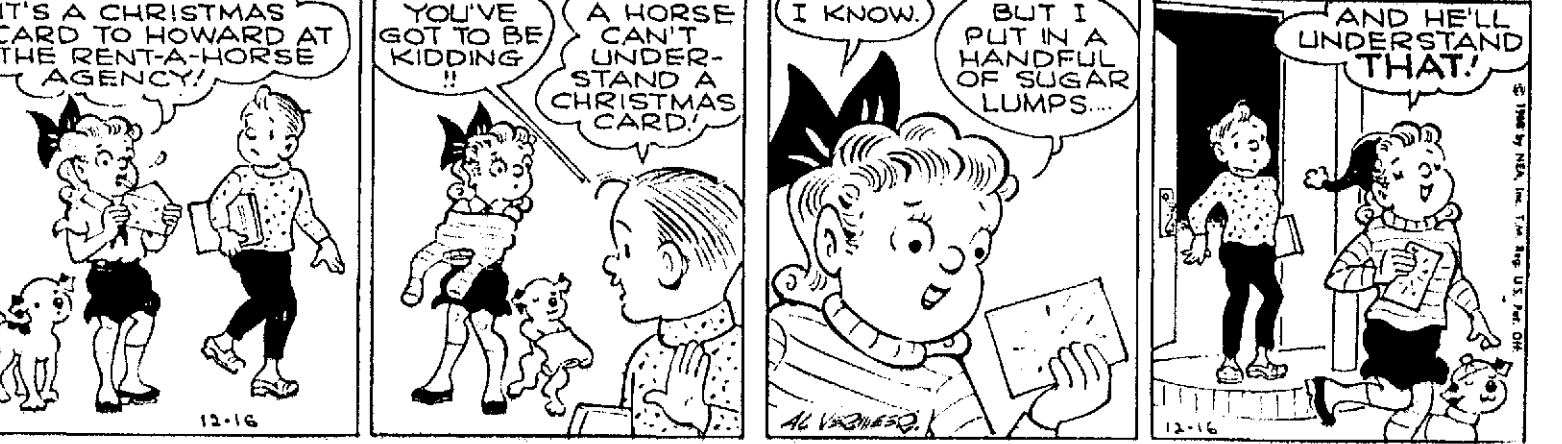
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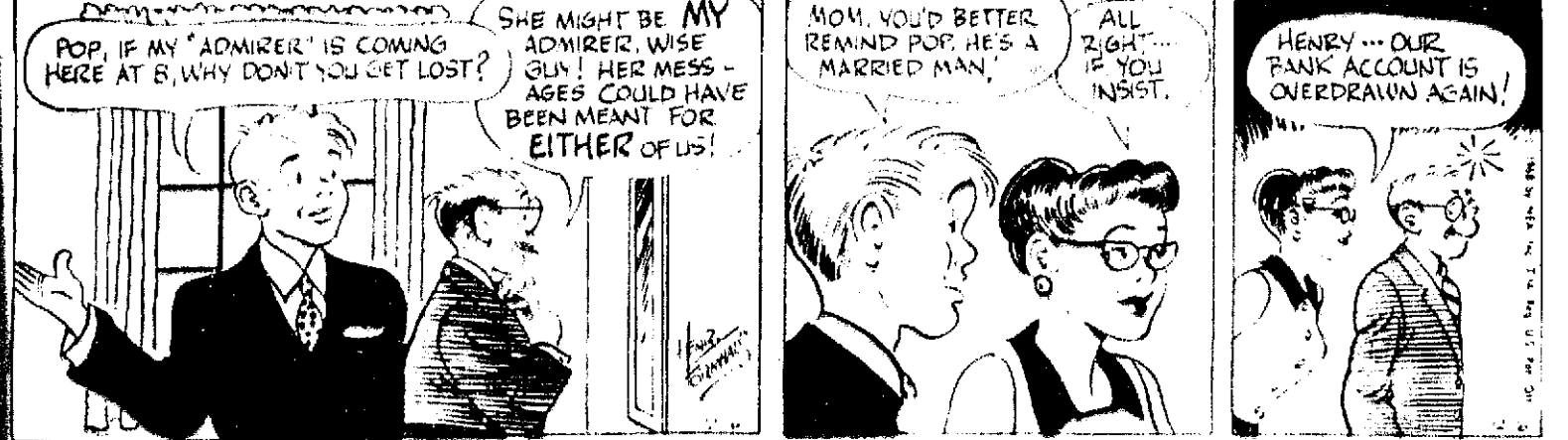
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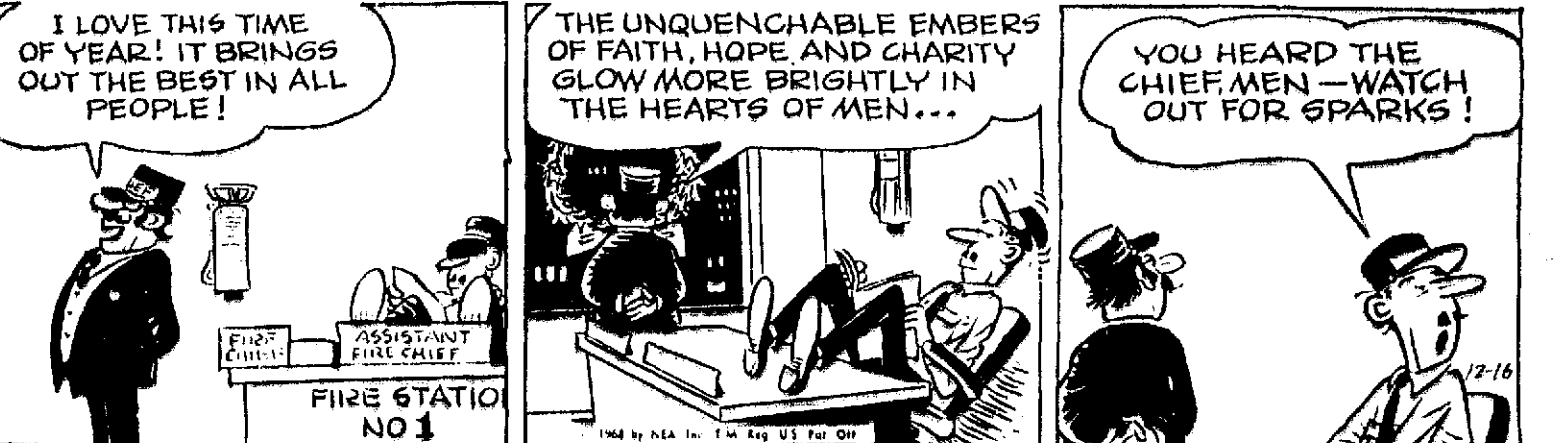
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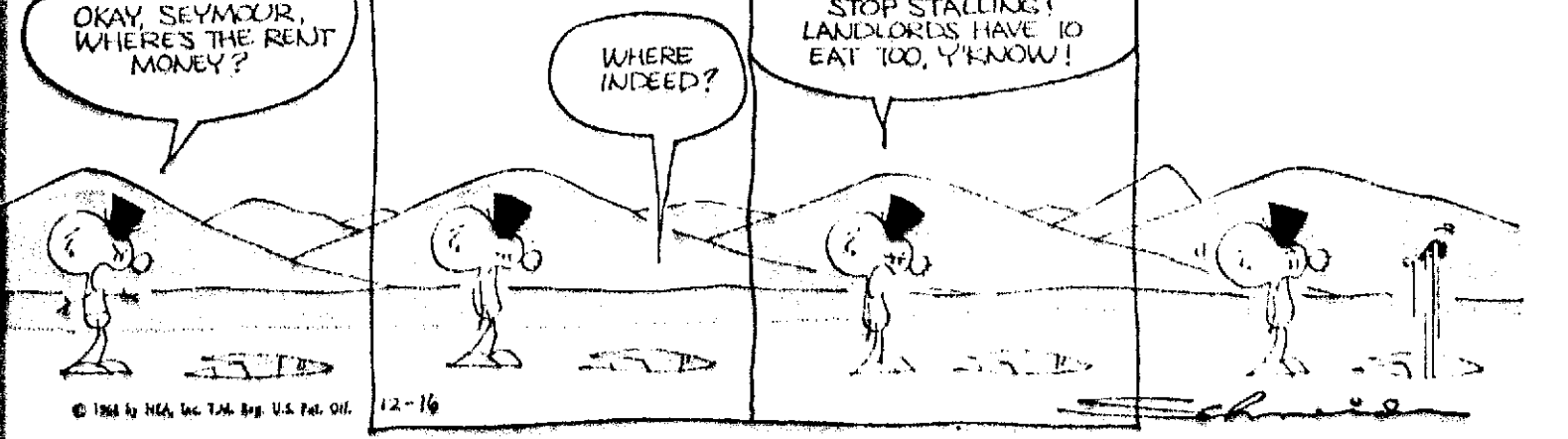
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By DICK CAVALLI



Many Groups Favor State Tax Hike

By PETE YOUNG
Associated Press Writer

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The reality that Arkansians may soon carry a heavier tax responsibility became more apparent over the weekend as various groups expressed their views on how the tax program should be handled.

As Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller was saying "there is nothing definite" yet on specific legislation to raise \$195 million in new revenues in the 1969-71 biennium:

—The executive committee of the Arkansas State AFL-CIO said it would "oppose any tax increases that we do not understand" and because of lack of time to study their impact.

—The board of directors of the Arkansas Farmers Union said Arkansas taxpayers needed time "to study any proposed increases in state or federal taxes" and proposed three ways to do it.

—The Council on Education of the Arkansas Education Association endorsed position, which, essentially, said that the 28 per cent increase Rockefeller allotted public schools was "reasonable and conservative" and acceptable to the AEA.

The labor and farm groups expressed fear that the taxation would not be distributed equally. Both labor and farmers suggested that loopholes in the tax structure be examined.

"The state would receive between \$40-50 million annually in additional revenues by not permitting certain vested interests to escape paying their fair share of the sales tax," the AFL-CIO statement said.

It listed some of 28 exemptions it said existed, including rodeos, cotton and cottonseed and all seeds, rural electrification cooperatives and agricultural cooperatives, public utilities, truck lines, bus lines and implied strongly that it

communication systems.

"The most recent exemption, industrial supplies and machinery, is costing the state between \$5 and \$8 million yearly," the committee said.

The Farm Union Board said, in a prepared statement, that it recognized the necessity of raising additional money if services are to be expanded but "taxpayers might not want to expand services if they could see what it would cost."

The statement said "tax loopholes should be plugged before taxes are increased." It did not specify what loopholes.

The board also suggested three ways tax legislation should be presented:

—Introduce tax legislation early in the 1969 legislative session so taxpayers would have an opportunity to voice their opinions.

—Propose tax legislation at the regular session and then adopt it at a special session before the end of this fiscal year.

—Refer any tax increases on goods or services to a vote of the people.

Rockefeller said after his tax program is prepared "the best we know how," he would like to take it and "let the legislators knock holes in it, if you will."

The governor indicated that his fiscal experts already are planning specific tax bills that may include exemptions on some food items from his sales tax proposal in an effort to make it more palatable.

"When you debate the sales tax, do we start food exemptions or do we start turnbacks? That is a big question," Rockefeller said.

"If you run into much trouble on the sales tax, then you have got to talk about exemptions or turnback," he said. "There are other places we can plug up and offset the turnback. For instance, there are lots of states which tax services on a sales tax basis but that is another sales tax discussion."

The executive committee of the AFL-CIO waived taking a rural cooperatives, public utilities, truck lines, bus lines and implied strongly that it

would oppose a sales tax increase, which it said the governor himself opposed earlier in the year on the grounds that it falls hardest on those least able to pay.

"Recent studies conclude that our entire tax structure is regressive in nature — that is, taxation that hits the low income population relatively hard — and point out that the sales tax revenue is way out of proportion to other states," the committee said.

Addressing Sen. Clarence Bell of Paris, Rockefeller said it was an understanding that the public schools would get the lion's share of the revenues from his proposed tax program.

It was Bell who complained Friday that not enough of the new money was earmarked for the public schools.

"The public school fund, if I remember right, is spending over half of the general revenue," Rockefeller said. "What happened is that last year we put the lion's share in primary and secondary school areas and really held back pretty hard on the colleges and universities."

"It was understood in that biennium we needed to get started in the primary, secondary and vocational areas and the colleges and universities in this biennium," Rockefeller said.

Scientists Unafraid of Radiation

By JIM STROTHMAN
AP Aerospace Writer

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP) — Despite concern expressed by some scientists, the space agency predicts America's Apollo 8 astronauts will be exposed to radiation no greater than the total equivalent of three chest X rays when they fly around the moon.

Solar flares erupting on the sun's surface could spew radiation into space between earth

and the moon, but "It would take a very unusual flare" to prevent or alter the mission, said an Apollo 8 astronaut, William A. Anders.

"They probably haven't seen more than one or two in the last decade large enough to cause concern," said Air Force Maj. Anders, who plans to blast off Saturday for a 10-orbit flight around the moon with Air Force Col. Frank Borman and Navy Capt. James A. Lovell Jr.

While NASA said it has no grounds for worry, concern has been expressed elsewhere in the scientific community.

Dr. Harold Zirin, professor of astrophysics at the California Institute of Technology, said earlier this month that Cal Tech astronomers observed a new sunspot group which "has grown rapidly and will be facing the earth at the center of the sun on Dec. 23."

Scientists in the Soviet Union and other Communist countries have said in recent weeks that further biological testing would be necessary before the Russians would attempt a deep-space flight. Radiation hazards were among questions needed to be answered, they said.

A network of radiation-measuring U.S. satellites circling the sun and ground-based observatories are keeping track of solar storms for NASA.

The satellites can give warning of active solar regions as much as 16 days in advance.

If an unusually hazardous flare spilled radiation into space while the astronauts were in flight, "we could stay in orbit around the moon to take advantage of its one-half shielding effect," Anders said. He meant that high radiation levels could be avoided for about half of every two-hour orbit when the moon was between Apollo 8 and the sun.

Bright Stars

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NEA's Youth Beat

THE NATIONAL REPORT ON WHAT'S HAPPENING

PROTEST IN RED CHINA? Hard line neo-Stalinist authorities in Red China solve problem of youth dissent by shipping out hundreds of thousands to "reform through manual labor." The so-called "young intellectuals," new left Red Guards, ran wild for several years. Their idealistically motivated rampages made U.S. students look like Campfire Girls by comparison. Now military-dominated committees are attempting to achieve law and order by total suppression. The large cities are being cleansed of "disruptive elements." Called "volunteers," girls and boys are packed off to rural fields, factories, mines and docks basically being run by the military.

MOUTH CANCER ON RISE: Second most fatal type of cancer is of growing concern to both dental and medical people. Frequently involves mutilating surgery of lower jaws. Dentists are joining the antismoking crusade armed with statistics that "put your future where your mouth is."

NIXON AND "THE VOTE AT 18": Deafening silence on the question of vote. President-elect Nixon has enough problems with young America ahead of him. Advisers are urging that he establish a cabinet post for youth. (How does "secretary of youth" grab you?) Such an office would spearhead the fight for a uniform-vote-at-18 amendment. Look for Ted Kennedy to leap on this topic and ride, ride, ride!

DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION GROWS: Florida is latest state to push its legislators into a realistic program aimed at stemming drug abuse. Courses being urged at community level by Florida Pharmaceutical Association. Aimed at junior and senior high school students, the information is designed to add a dimension to the more stringent legislation now in that state. The Florida pharmacists also have a program directed at parents. Not all drugstore owners agree with the plan. A typical dissenter says: "The problem in many cases starts at home. Habit forming medication becomes a substitute for normal family relationships." Another says: "The effort would be better spent by examining our society and open-mindedly attempting social improvement that would eradicate disaffection itself and not just attacking the symptoms of disaffection." Maybe these friendly pharmacists know something others don't know. Somehow we doubt it!

DER BINGLE GOES POP! Bing Crosby returns to recording work after more than a year's absence. Will cut such rockers as "Hey Jude," "Those Were the Days," "The Straight Life" and "Little Green Apples." A real bridge over the generation gap.

RECORDED SEX EDUCATION: Hamburg, Germany, offered five-minute sex instruction message for men over the phone. Officials report 10,000 calls a day. A similar offer re cancer drew only 13,000 calls in an entire month.

DRINK AWAY the problem. A leading anthropologist is worried about overpopulation. Claims that by 2168 there will be 50 billion people. He fails to see how the earth can or will support this number. His solution: spike drinking water with birth control drugs!



—By Robert MacLeod
Editor, Teen Magazine


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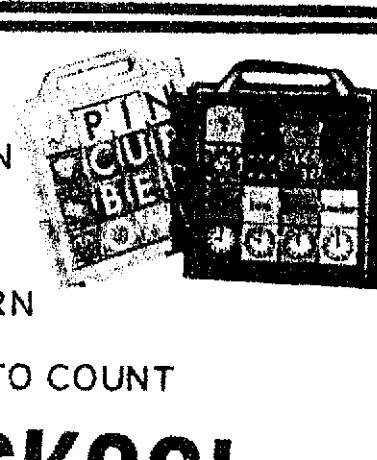


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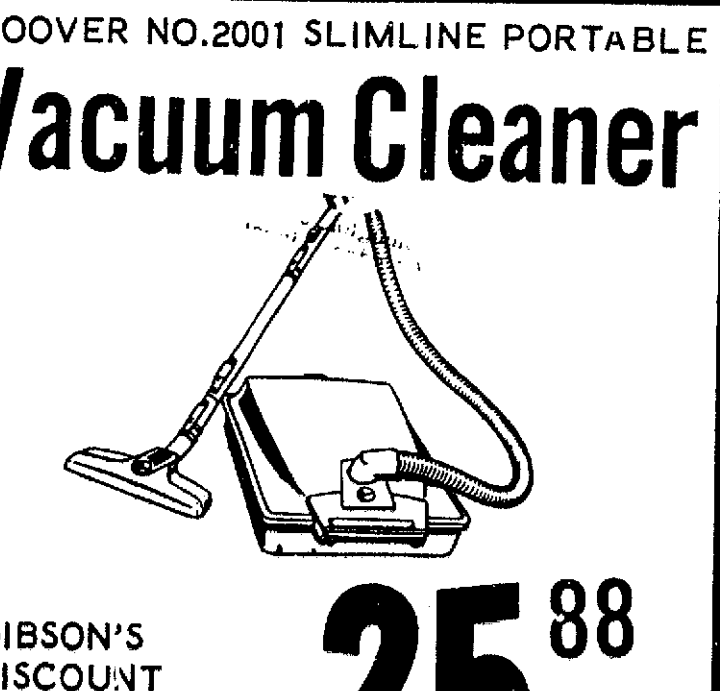


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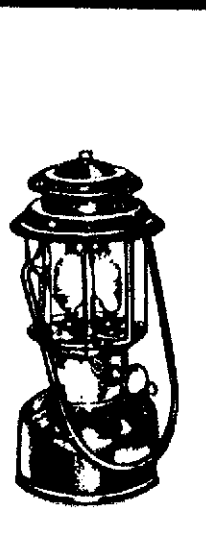


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THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

It is hard for the face to conceal the thoughts of the heart. The look without is an index of what is within. Shakespeare said it.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

The program planning committee of Bethel A.M.E. Church will meet at the Neva and Esther Music Studio Tuesday December 17th at 7:15 p.m.

At 8:00 p.m., the senior choir will meet for rehearsal at the same place. All members of both groups are urged to be present.

The Y.P.D. will meet at the studio Wednesday, December 18th at 7 p.m. to rehearse for the Christmas program.

The princes of S.T. Boyd Consistory will hold its annual election Thursday, December 19th,

at masonic hall in Washington, Arkansas.

Death has alarmed the outer door. Come prepared to meet your obligations. W.S. Williamson, Secretary.

COMING AND GOING

Mrs. Arrena Nelson left the city Saturday, December 14th enroute to Yuma, Arizona to be at the bedside of her son Lonze Nelson who was injured in an accident. He is in Park view Baptist Hospital in Yuma.

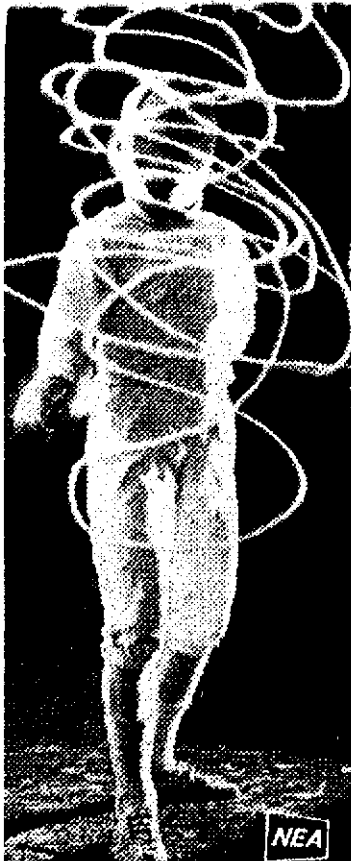
He is the brother of Mrs. Lee Autry Dixon and A.B. Nelson of Hope.

Needling Season Open in Football

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The needling season has opened for football Coach John McKay of the University of Southern California.

Referring to Ohio State, the Trojans' opponent in the Rose Bowl, McKay said Thursday, "They're supposed to be full of sophomores. But I notice in the roster they sent us they had 28 lettermen. We have 14."

"Now some of those lettermen have got to be juniors or seniors."



LIGHTNING STROKES of a fencer in Poland are recorded on film with the aid of a light attached to the end of the foil. Future fencing masters should find this practice valuable in perfecting their technique.

Refused to Believe His Doctors

By EDWIN Q. WHITE

Associated Press Writer
SAIGON (AP) — Edwin W. Rosenberg refused to believe the doctors who told him 23 years ago he would die of cancer. Today, a rear admiral, he commands the 7th Fleet Amphibious Force in Vietnam.

A 1942 Annapolis graduate, Rosenberg was invalided out of the Navy in 1945 when doctors found cancer after his return from World War II duty as a navigator on an aircraft carrier.

Between 1946 and 1950 he survived four bouts with cancer even after doctors who found a growth in his kidney told him, "You've got two weeks to live."

"Let's get started with the X-ray treatment," he told doctors at Chelsea Navy hospital in Boston. The X-rays worked and the cancer was burned out.

His life saved, Rosenberg set about saving his career. Twice he convinced the Navy retirement board he was cured. However, each time the doctors found another cancer, in the groin for the second time and in the neck.

But Rosenberg, who from his boyhood in Sarpy County, Neb., had wanted to be a naval officer, did not give up. He continued with the X-ray treatments and kept fighting to get back into uniform.

By September 1948 he had talked the Navy into giving him temporary duty as an instructor at the Naval Academy. This was progress, but he was still on the retired list.

Rosenberg asked for active status again.

"Not a chance," he was told. "It would take an act of Congress."

He went after that act of Congress. Sen. Bourke B. Hickenlooper, R-Iowa, introduced the measure and in September 1950 President Harry S. Truman signed it.

In 1952 Rosenberg took command of his first ship, the destroyer J. Douglas Blackwood.

On Sunday, Rosenberg relieved Rear Adm. Paul L. Lacy Jr. as commander of the 7th Fleet unit. Rosenberg came to Vietnam from Honolulu where he was the Pacific Fleet's deputy chief of staff for logistics, personnel and administration.

Lacy goes to Washington to head a new department of submarine design.

They Love the Horned Owls

LAKELAND, Fla. (AP) — 02, a horned owl called the most loved bird in Pennsylvania after being petted by an estimated 135,000 persons in 10 years at Washington Crossing State Park, died here Sunday.

The owl was owned by Dr. Paul H. Fluck, who directed the nature education center at the state park. "02" was shot early in his 12 years of life and was unable to fly.

"He thinks that all people do is go around petting owls because he's never seen them do anything else," Fluck once said.

Fluck brought the owl to the Lakeland area about three weeks ago and toured Polk County schools with 02 perched on his shoulder during nature education talks.

"Muckrake"

President Theodore Roosevelt used the term "muckrake" in attacking the practice of making sweeping and unjust charges of corruption against public men and corporations.

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Public May Get Set About Highways

By JACK MILLER

Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A proposal to give the public more voice in the location and design of federal highways has started a fight that could have a dramatic effect on the future of the

nation's road building policies.

The proposal, which will be argued in Transportation Department hearings starting today, calls for more public hearings before final decisions are made.

Joining the Transportation Department, which made the proposal, in backing the plan are the Agriculture and Interior departments and the mayors and congressmen from several of the nation's large metropolitan areas.

Listed against the plan are officials from several states, the

roadbuilding industry and Massachusetts Gov. John Volpe,

who will be secretary of transportation in the Nixon administration.

Volpe, who owns a construction company and ran the nation's road program under President Eisenhower, is not expected to testify in the hearings.

Department sources said Transportation Secretary Alan S. Boyd is determined to get the policy through ahead of the coming Nixon administration.

But they say that even if he does, the new administration

could reverse it.

Advocates of the plan say the new approach is needed to keep highway officials from arbitrarily slicing through the cities and the countryside with massive roadways that break up neighborhoods and blight the landscape.

Opponents have charged that the move would involve highways in controversy that could lead to excessive delays. Some have said it could virtually paralyze plans for urban freeways.

A key requirement of the plan would require one public hear-

ing before route decisions and a second before the design was approved.

The department said in announcing the proposal that "Currently, no more than one hearing is required on proposed new highway locations, which generally has taken place at an early stage of the highway planning sequence."

Urban freeways in particular have come under intense criticism recently in many cities, and many proposed urban segments of the interstate highway system have been stymied.

Television Logs Monday

Night		As The World Turns 11-12 (C)	
6:00	What's New 2	12:55	Children's Doctor 3-7 (C)
	Truth or Consequences 3 (C)	1:00	Newlywed Game 3-7 (C)
	News, Weather, Sports 4-6-7-11-12 (C)		Days of our Lives 4-6 (C)
6:30	Education News and Views 2	1:30	Love is a Many Splendored Thing 11-12 (C)
	Movie 3 (C)		Dating Game 3-7 (C)
	"Desk Set"		Doctors 4-6 (C)
	I Dream of Jeanie 4-6 (C)	2:00	Guiding Light 11-12 (C)
	Movie 7 (C)		General Hospital 3-7 (C)
	"Three Coins in the Fountain"		Another World 4-6 (C)
	Gunslinger 11-12 (C)	2:30	Secret Storm 11-12 (C)
7:00	Economics 2		One Life to Live 3-7 (C)
	Rowan and Martin 4-6 (C)		You Don't Say 4-6 (C)
7:30	Modern Math 2		Edge of Night 11-12 (C)
	Here's Lucy 11-12 (C)	3:00	Communications 2
8:00	French Chef 2		Dark Shadows 3-7 (C)
	Movie 4-6 (C)		Mike Douglas 4 (C)
	Mayberry R.F.D. 11-12 (C)	3:25	Match Game 6 (C)
			Linkletter Show 11-12 (C)
8:30	Playing the Guitar 2	3:30	News 11-12 (C)
	Peyton Place 3-7 (C)		Friendly Giant 2
	Family Affair 11-12 (C)		Movie 3
9:00	Net Journal 2		"Unknown Island"
	Big Valley 3-7 (C)		Laff-A-Lot 6 (C)
	Carol Burnett 11-12 (C)		Bozo's Big Top 7 (C)
10:00	News, Weather, Sports 3-4-6-7-11-12 (C)		Pass word 11 (C)
			Movie 12
10:30	Joey Bishop 3-7 (C)	4:00	"Man from the Alamo"
	Johnny Carson 4-6 (C)		Misterogers 2
	77 Sunset Strip 11		Flintstones 6 (C)
10:40	Paul Harvey 12 (C)		Perry Mason 11
10:45	Movie 12	4:30	What's New 2
	"Sea Wife"		Batman 4 (C)
12:00	Evening Devotional 6		Hazel 6 (C)

Tuesday

Morning		Night	
5:45	R.F.D. 4 (C)	6:00	What's New 2
5:55	Morning Devotional 4 (C)		Truth or Consequences 3 (C)
6:00	Gene Williams 4 (C)		News, Weather, Sports 4-6-7-11-12 (C)
6:30	Economics 3-11	6:30	Extension Forum 2
6:40	Morning Devotional 6		Mod Squad 3 (C)
6:45	RFD "6" 6 (C)		Jerry Lewis 4-6 (C)
6:50	Your Pastor 12 (C)		Retreat Singers 7
7:00	Bozo's Big Top 3 (C)		Lance 11-12 (C)
	Today 4-6 (C)	7:00	Communications 2
	News 11 (C)		Madrigal Singers 2
	Paul Harvey 12 (C)	7:30	It Takes a Thief 3-7
7:05	News 11-12 (C)		Julia 4-6 (C)
7:30	Bozo's Big Top 7 (C)		Red Skelton 11-12 (C)
	News 12 (C)	8:00	Apollo 7 4
	Arkansas A.M. 11 (C)		Movie 4
7:55	News 12 (C)		"Something of Value"
8:00	This Morning 7 (C)		Movie 6 (C)
	Captain Kangaroo 11-12 (C)		"For Those Who Think Young"
8:30	Movie 3	8:30	Antiques Art 2
	"Private Hell"		N.Y.P.D. 3-7 (C)
	Treasure Isle 7		Doris Day 11-12 (C)
	Snap Judgment 4-6 (C)	9:00	Net Festival 2
	Dream House 7		That's Life 3-7 (C)
	Lucille Ball 11-12 (C)		To Be Announced 11-12 (C)
9:25	News 4 (C)	9:30	Merry Christmas 11 (C)
	News 6 (C)		Acapella Choir 12
9:30	Concentration 4-6 (C)	10:00	News, Weather, Sports 3-4-6-7-11-12 (C)
	Dick Cavett 7 (C)	10:30	Joey Bishop 3-7 (C)
	Beverly Hillsbillies 11-12		Johnny Carson 4-6 (C)
10:00	Dick Cavett 3 (C)		77 Sunset Strip 11
	Personality 4-6 (C)	10:40	Paul Harvey 12 (C)
	Andy Griffith 11-12 (C)	10:45	Movie-To Be Announced 12 (C)
10:30	Hollywood Squares 4-6 (C)	11:00	77 Sunset Strip 11
	Dick Van Dyke 11-12 (C)	12:00	Evening Devotional 6
11:00	Bewitched 3-7 (C)		
	Jeopardy 4-6 (C)		
	Love of Life 11-12 (C)		
11:25	News 11-12 (C)		
11:30	Treasure Isle 3 (C)		
	Eye Guess 4-6 (C)		
	Vic Ames 7 (C)		
	Search for Tomorrow 11-12 (C)		
11:55	Paul Harvey 4 (C)		
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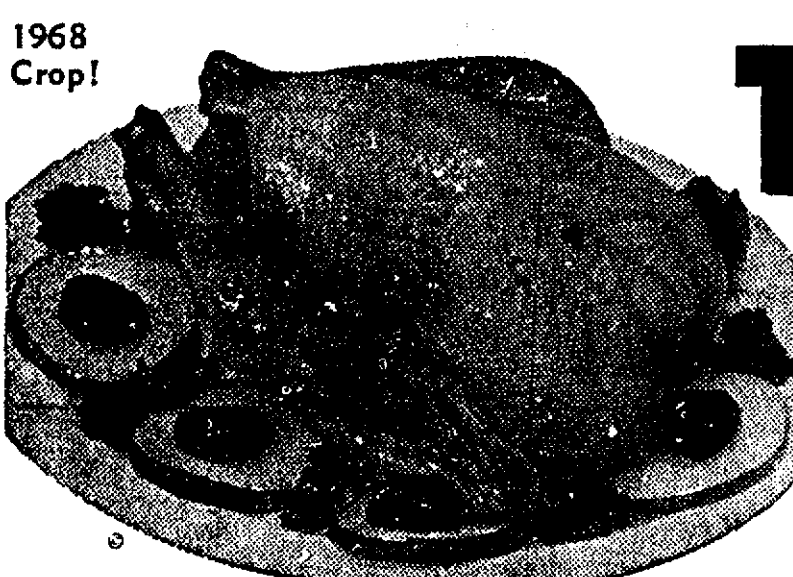
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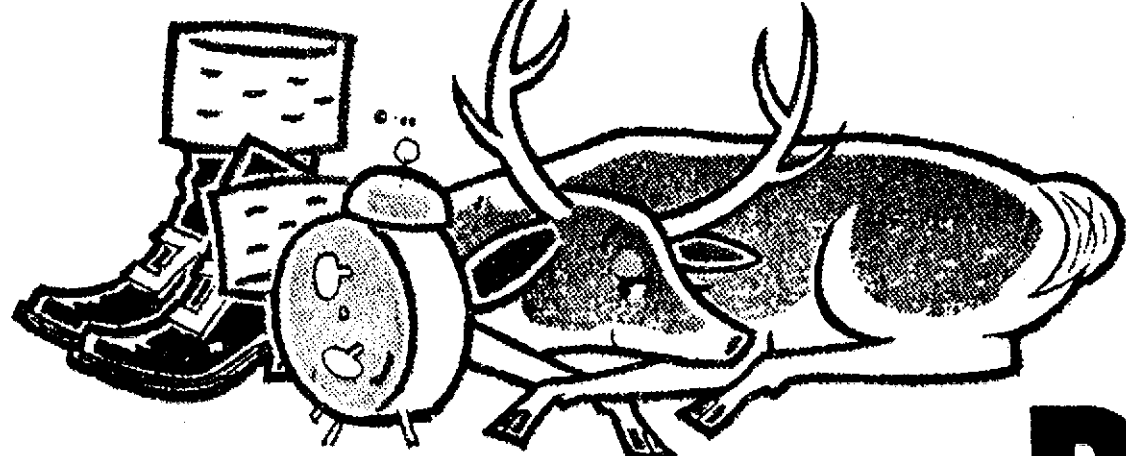
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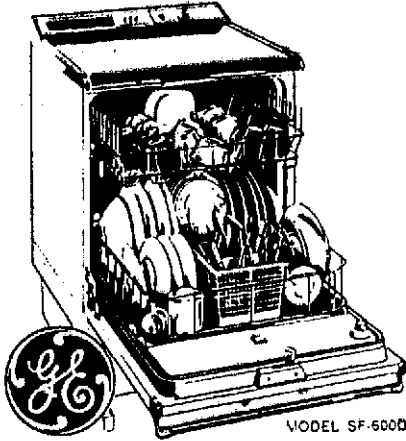
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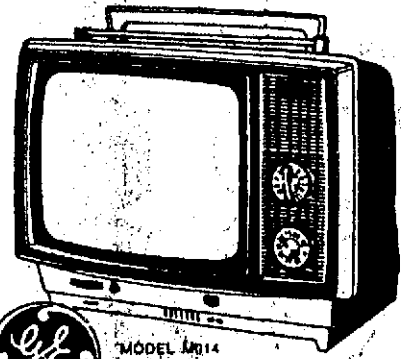
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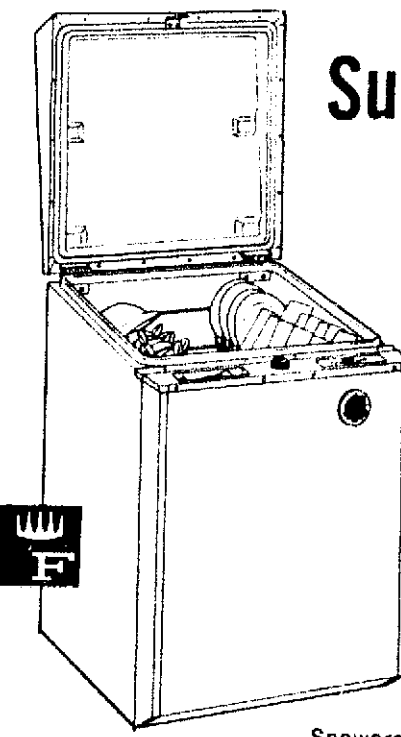
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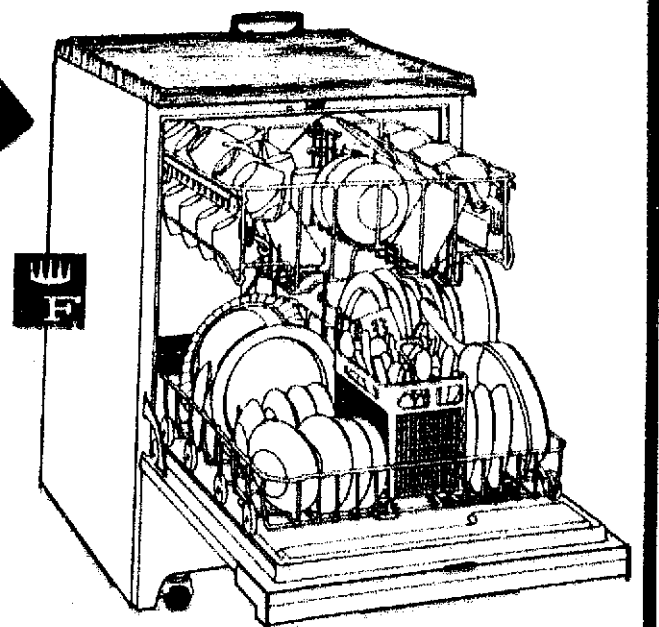
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